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The sun shines bright and most of us should be happy. God works wonders in His way.

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## MUST HAVE RIGHT-OF-WAY BEFORE HIGHWAY PROJECTS CAN BE SPEEDED UP

C. D. Matthews, Chairman of the State Highway Commission reiterated Thursday morning the statement released by the Commission Tuesday at Jefferson City, when he stated that right-of-way for farm-to-market and other roads must be made available before projects could be speeded up. The Commission head had reference specifically to the plan of releasing road contracts approximating the expenditure of about \$4,600,000 so as to give work to unemployed.

The Commission in a prepared statement Tuesday announced its willingness to expedite construction of State Highways this year to provide work for persons who are unemployed because of drouth conditions, but declared co-operation by the counties would be necessary in obtaining right-of-way for roads, lack of which is holding up about \$4,600,000 in proposed construction.

"At the present time plans have been prepared for approximately \$2,000,000 worth of work which has been held up for some time because rights-of-way could not be obtained", said the commission. "In addition to this, the commission now has before it the construction of the farm-to-market system, and it has available for this work not yet under contract about \$2,600,000. The commission is very anxious that this work be put under contract this year, but we find that trouble is being experienced in securing right-of-way".

In this immediate vicinity the placing under contract of approximately 20 miles of primary highway between Benton and Sikeston, on August 22 is expected to give employment to a large number of workers.

According to a survey made by the Highway Department nearly fifty per cent of all persons now engaged in construction work on the State system are drafted from localities in which the projects are under construction. The number is approximately 7500.

District Chambers of Commerce, especially in the north central section of Missouri have petitioned the Commission to speed up the road program to alleviate unemployment situation. The Northeast Missouri group with headquarters in Louisiana, Mo., recently urged the Highway Commission to spend during 1930 and '31 about \$15,000,000 provided for farm-to-market roads provided for in the \$75,000,000 road bond issue, instead of waiting until 1934 as provided in the bond issue amendment. It is pointed out that work provided farmers in road building at this time would be of great benefit in relieving the stringency due to loss of crops.

Gov. Henry S. Caulfield is now in Washington to attend President Hoover's conference of Governors of the drouth-stricken States. He will ask that Missouri's annual share of Federal aid for road construction, \$3,900,000 this year, be made available September 1, instead of January 1 next, the time now stipulated.

According to a letter prepared by T. H. Cutler, chief engineer of the Highway Commission, contracts to be let August 22 will exhaust the Federal money now available.

Under the present arrangement, no more money from this source would be furnished until the beginning of 1931.

"If Missouri's share of the money could be made available September 1", Caulfield said, "it would give temporary employment to many farmers whose crops have suffered, and it would be of permanent benefit by hastening completion of the State highway system. The situation is serious, but I am convinced that the farmers of Missouri do not desire charity, but wish to earn a living".

The Governor said it had been suggested that the Highway Commission might further speed road construction by letting contracts beyond those which have been contemplated for this year's program.

He anticipated that the conference, to be attended by 12 or more Governors, would discuss proposals for direct loans to farmers by the Federal Farm Board. Such loans were made after the Mississippi floods of 1927, he pointed out.

Caulfield took with him reports and estimates showing the present drouth to be the most destructive on record in Missouri. Southeast Missouri has suffered most, he said, and a water famine is now threatened in

ties now need aid, he said, and continuation of the drouth will increase this number.

Baked chicken and fried chicken dinner and supper Sunday at Shepard's Cafe.

The Chillicothe Business College placed another stenographer Monday with the Stone and Webster Engineering Corporation which is now building the big Bagnell Dam. Four other C. B. C. grads are employed in the same offices.

## 23 STATES LISTED AS VERY DRY IN DROUTH STORY

A graphic map of the Nation's drouth lists no less than twenty-three midwestern and eastern States as "very dry". Included in the list are North and South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, Iowa, Missouri, Arkansas, a section of Louisiana and Mississippi, Arkansas, Missouri, Illinois, Michigan, Indiana, Kentucky, Tennessee, Ohio, West

Virginia, Pennsylvania, New York, New Jersey, Delaware and Maryland. Light rains seem to have been the favored lot of a few States in a few southern States, and in the extreme New England States. Minnesota and Wisconsin are reported in the favored belt. Only five States in the extreme southeastern tip have had ample rains.

Baked chicken and fried chicken dinner and supper Sunday at Shepard's Cafe.

## FORMER CHAFFEE FAMILY NOW IN KANSAS IS WIPED OUT WHEN FOUR ARE KILLED

Chaffee, August 13.—Investigation is being conducted into the four-way tragedy in which Albert Watkins, until a year ago a resident of this place, Monday slew his 3 children, set fire to his residence and then committed suicide, the four bodies being burned in the family residence at

Kingsley, Kan. A telegram of the tragedy was received here Tuesday by Ed Miller, brother of Mrs. Watkins, who was employed at a restaurant at the time the killings occurred and who escaped the tragedy.

According to information received here Watkins had killed his three children: Arline, 9; Margaret, 6, and Albert 2, had purchased a five gallon can of gasoline with which he soaked the bodies, after placing them in the attic. He is said to have shot and killed himself after firing the residence.

Relatives here were unable to explain the act of Watkins. According to their best knowledge he had not been involved in any sort of trouble. For about six years he was a salesman for the Paige-Jewett automobile agency here, and was married to Miss Neva Miller, being affiliated with her father, Charles Miller, in the Miller-Watkins Garage here. He was born and reared in the Oran community, coming here from there from there several years ago. Since being in Kansas he had been employed as an automobile mechanic. His father and brother reside in Oran.—Cape Missourian.

## SCOTT WOMAN GETS 2 YEARS

Benton, August 13.—Lillian Goodwin pleaded guilty to forgery in Scott County Circuit Court here Monday and was sentenced by Judge Frank Kelly to two years in the State penitentiary. She was accused of forging the name of a man at Chaffee to a check.

Jeff Glover pleaded guilty to a charge of burglary and larceny in connection with the burglarizing of a mercantile establishment at Blodgett a year ago and was sentenced by Judge Kelly to serve four years in the penitentiary, but was paroled. Two other youths from Sikeston who pleaded guilty to complicity in burglarizing the store, were sentenced at the last term of court, but also were paroled.

Richard Holmes and Geo. Washington, negroes, charged with carrying concealed weapons, pleaded guilty, and were sentenced to serve 60 days in jail. They were released, having spent 30 days in the Scott County jail at Benton with a warning that the remainder of the sentence would be imposed should they be brought to court on future charges.

Vernon York pleaded guilty to a charge of forgery and was sentenced to two years in the State reformatory at Booneville. He was a resident of Sikeston. He forged a check on the Buckner-Ragsdale Store Co. at Sikeston, according to the charge.

Rudy Moore, who was fined \$300 at the last term of court on a previous charge, was ordered jailed for a period of 60 days for non-payment of fine.

The case of Elmer Meystedt of Cape Girardeau, charging driving an automobile while intoxicated, was continued by Prosecuting Attorney M. E. Montgomery to the next term of court as some of the witnesses in the case are now in encampment with the National Guard. Meystedt's charge grew out of an automobile wreck on the Chaffee-Ansell road south of Cape Girardeau several weeks ago, after which occupants of an automobile alleged to have been struck by Meystedt's car, filed an affidavit outlining the charges on which the prosecuting attorney acted.—Cape Missourian.

## TYPOGRAPHICAL ERROR GIVES SIKESTON TEMPERATURE 192

No less than twenty-five calls, "serious" and otherwise, were received this week following the publication last Tuesday of a detailed summary of the heat wave which credited July 6 with a temperature of 192 degrees. The reading should have been 102, and those who have clipped the front-page story "for keeps" can make the correction. Weathermen believe the present drouth and heat record will stand for many years, so that in years to come a detailed record kept by individuals will provide an accurate check on what the weather is doing, say in the year 2000.

Farmington—Carver's Cafe installed complete set of new fixtures.

## The Buckner Ragsdale Co.'s FINAL CLEARANCE OF DRESSES



### STARTING FRIDAY, AUG. 15th

Our remaining stock of summer dresses must be sold at once to make room for Fall merchandise. It's thrifty to buy at these low prices . . . the savings are the greatest of the season.

Group 1

# 2 for \$15<sup>00</sup>

In this group you will find our smartest summer frocks and silk ensembles . . . dozens to choose from . . . georgettes, flat crepes, chiffons and other summer materials in styles that were smartest for summer . . . imagine the luxury of having a frock you can wear anywhere at the inexpensive price of two for \$15.00.

Group 2

# \$3

The smart values this group offers are seldom duplicated . . . think of buying frocks of lovely crepes, chiffons and georgette materials at such a low price. There are dozens of clever styles to select from.

Group 3

# \$1

Here are smart values indeed . . . cleverly styled frock of good quality materials that formerly sold up to \$16.75 are included . . . buy several of these for "fill-in" frocks.

## THE BUCKNER-RAGSDALE CO.



## SIKESTON STANDARD

C. L. BLANTON, EDITOR

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adjoining counties .....\$1.50  
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Soldier, Iowa,  
August 12, 1930.

The Sikeston Standard,

Sikeston, Mo.,

Dear Editor:

I would like to know if you could  
give me any information about my  
son, Theodore Rye, who married a  
girl named Irene Wilson from East  
Prairie, Mo.

I heard they inherited the estate  
of a banker named Stalup.

I heard there was a write-up about  
this in your paper. Please send me  
a copy, also the name of the United  
States detective who lives in Sikes-  
ton.

Yours,

O. H. RYE.

Theodore Rye married Irene, sec-  
ond daughter of Ed Wilson, a farm-  
er living near East Prairie, Mo., and  
the couple are now visiting at the  
Wilson home. Rye worked with a  
road building outfit near Kansas City  
for a while, then came to East  
Prairie. The couple has inherited no  
fortune from anyone.—Editor.

German and Russian scientists  
have been studying the brain of Len-  
in, the Bolshevik leader, and in the  
third layer of the gray matter found  
"pyramidal cells of large size as  
never observed before". Wonder if  
they could find any gray matter in a  
tumble bug teaser.

We notice where Mrs. John F.  
Swift, wife of a St. Louis printer,  
had been robbed of \$10,000 worth of  
diamonds while on a visit to Chicago.  
Hope the Missus will leave her dia-  
monds at home next time she visits  
the city.

Ice is being delivered to a club on  
the 68th floor of an office building. A  
little more activity on the part of  
structural engineers, coupled with a  
step or two in advance in aerial nav-  
igation, and it will be easier to bring  
refrigerants down from the snow  
line than up from the pavement.

## ...Lair Store News...

"That Interesting Store"

Furniture—Radio—Undertaking

Our 32nd Year in Charleston

Mr. C. L. Blanton,

Editor Standard, Sikeston, Mo.

Dear Mr. Blanton:

Please say to your readers for us this week that  
our Birthday Party sales so far have been very satis-  
factory—in fact, they have exceeded expectations and  
as the "party" proceeds, interest seems to grow. When  
one considers the prices we have hung on our merchan-  
dise this is not at all surprising. This goes to show  
that in spite of crop disasters there is yet a good deal  
of ready cash in Southeast Missouri which may be  
coaxed into circulation by putting out super values  
and improved service—both of which are uppermost in  
this event. Visitors from this and adjoining counties  
have been numerous. Many of them made purchases  
and those who did, received a lot for their money. So  
many inquiries have been made for more of our "spec-  
ials" that we are extending the closing date of the  
"party" till Saturday, August 23rd, and on next Tues-  
day morning we will put on sale an entirely new lot of  
"Dollar Day" items. These, in our opinion, will beat  
anything offered heretofore and will be entirely differ-  
ent in every respect.

If any fail to get circular giving details, take our  
word for it and be here anyway. We guarantee no  
regrets. In addition to these new offerings, the store  
will be full of equally good things in stoves, floor cov-  
erings, living room suites and so on. By adding a  
small per cent to the low cash prices to pay for service,  
one may pay by week or month on any bill worth  
while.

Yours truly,

THE LAIR COMPANY.

CONDITION MISSOURI  
COTTON AUGUST 14, 1930

Jefferson City, August 14.—The  
August condition of Missouri cotton  
crop is 64 per cent of normal, indi-  
cating a yield of 200 pounds per  
acre on 365,000 acres, or a total of  
153,000 bales, according to the latest  
report of E. A. Logan of the United  
States Bureau of Agricultural Econ-  
omics and Jewell Mayes of the Mis-  
souri State Board of Agriculture.  
Cotton has been generally well culti-  
vated; stands are good and bolls safe  
to date per plant are more than at  
this time last year. However, plants  
are smaller than usual but are  
blooming to the top.

Fully grown bolls will be found  
sooner than in recent years, and the  
first open bolls should be quite gen-  
eral in late August as weather is  
forcing cotton to open. Shedding was  
becoming quite general at the be-  
ginning of August. Missouri cotton  
is best in Pemiscot and Mississippi  
Counties, fair in New Madrid, Dunk-  
lin and Butler, but conditions are un-  
favorable in Howell, Ripley, Scott  
and Stoddard.

The United States cotton crop is  
62.2 per cent normal, indicating a  
yield of 155.3 pounds, or 14,362,000  
bales against 14,828,000 bales ginned  
in 1929. Cotton prospects are much  
better than the general average in  
the South Atlantic States, but Ten-  
nessee, Mississippi, Texas and Okla-  
homa are close to the general aver-  
age, whereas Arkansas has probab-  
ly the poorest prospect of any cotton  
State, somewhat closely followed by  
Louisiana. Ginnings have been 77-  
956 bales August 1, compared to 86-  
94 for 1929 and 88,761 for 1928.

A murderer has been snapped up  
for a 14 year old crime, on account  
of some finger marks that he hap-  
pened to make a few days ago. Long-  
fellow did not realize that he was  
sowing the seed for a new growth in  
the department of criminology, when  
he wrote that poem about the value  
of foot prints on the sands of time.

The Department of Commerce has  
spoiled the prospects for a perfectly  
good guessing contest by publishing  
the information that the average  
grocery store carries about a thou-  
sand different items of stock.

Thirteen hundred rickshaw pullers  
are on strike in Durban, South Afri-  
ca. In view of the fact that Detroit  
has put more than a hundred thou-  
sand men back on the payrolls of its  
auto factories, the Durban boys had  
better call off their strike while the  
calling is good, and before the rick-  
saw has only a museum value.

Shakespeare asked "What's in a  
name?" If a lately-deceased Chica-  
go gang general were alive, it is like-  
ly that he would repeat the question.  
His enemies filled him with lead, in  
spite of the fact that he had signed  
the hotel register as "Goodman".

The papers say that Zaro Agha,  
the 156-year old Turk, has learned to  
accept with philosophic calm what-  
ever happens. If this is true, his  
long life has been well spent.

## FOR A RURAL POLICE FORCE

Missouri farmers can have police  
protection by 1931 if they really  
want it and go after it. But that will  
be the only way. Members of the  
Legislature who actively supported  
the measure introduced in 1929 as-  
sert that there was a total lack of  
enthusiasm. City representatives  
were indifferent or inclined to be  
against the proposition because of  
opposition from union labor. Rural  
representatives who should be un-  
animously and aggressively for crea-  
tion of a rural police force were luk-  
ewarm. Most of them contended there  
is no necessity for highway patrol or  
rural police protection. No necessity  
with fatal accidents on the highways,  
almost a daily occurrence? No nec-  
essity when thousands of dollars  
worth of farm property is being stol-  
en every night.

We believe that creation of a force  
which not only will have authority to  
patrol the highways but can safe-  
guard rural property and is empow-  
ered to arrest criminals is an abso-  
lute necessity for the well-being of  
this State.

We are going to fight for the en-  
actment of such a law. But if you  
do not fight with us, it cannot be  
won. Refuse to support men for  
State offices who will not help us in  
gaining an arm of the law which will  
protect rural life and property. Get  
this fact straight: If you want pro-  
tection bad enough to ask for it, you  
can get it. If you don't ask for it  
and don't get it, who is to blame?—  
Missouri Ruralist.

## A FAIRBANKS FIASCO

The behavior of Douglas Fair-  
banks when confronted by three ner-  
vous and adolescent robbers may dis-  
appoint those of his public who ex-  
pect a movie swashbuckler to be as  
dashing in the face of genuine danger  
as he is against rehearsed perils.  
Mr. Fairbanks has starred on the  
screen as the man who simply can't  
be outnumbered. His white-toothed  
grin flashing like a beacon, he holds  
off whole battalions at sword's point,  
catapults himself from balconies and  
pinions at least four foemen in his  
fall, hurls household utensils and  
lays prostrate entire roomfuls of en-  
emies. Yet, faced in his home by  
three robbers, one shakily holding a  
pistol, Doug meekly agreed to go up-  
stairs and get his pocketbook. Tame-  
ly he descended the stairs one at a  
time instead of making his custom-  
ary flying leap, gathering a robber  
under each arm and tripping the  
third with a prehensile foot. Handing  
his purse to the uninvited guests,  
Fairbanks watched them leave by  
the front door. All this was rotten  
scenario technique, of course, but it  
rated high as common horse sense.—  
Post-Dispatch.

South Carolina's \$60,000,000 road  
building program has brought work  
to 900 men.

When a native of Central Africa  
believes that he is possessed of a  
ghost he goes to his local medicine  
man and asks him to expel it. One  
method the medicine men have of do-  
ing this is to prepare an appetizing  
meal, hoping that the food will tempt  
the ghost to leave the body of the  
man.

DROUTH RELIEF PLAN  
OF FARM BOARD MAN

Washington, Aug. 12.—Returning  
to Washington today for a confer-  
ence on the widespread drouth with  
President Hoover, Secretary of Ag-  
riculture Hyde said, "We want to do  
everything we can to help the farm-  
ers". He has been in mid-Western  
States, where the situation has been  
described as alarming. He said there  
was no doubt it was serious, but  
added that "conditions were spotted".  
Hyde said if rain came some late  
corn would be saved and that some  
early corn would be grown on bottom  
lands in the affected States.

Hyde said that on the suggestion  
of President Hoover questionnaires  
would be sent to county farm agents  
immediately, asking them for detail-  
ed surveys on both the actual damage  
and the suffering caused by dry  
weather and intense heat.

The questionnaires will inquire as  
to the number of families who will  
need aid in order to carry their live-  
stock through the winter, whether  
there is feed available either in the  
county where the distress is felt or  
in some nearby county.

Suggestions also will be asked  
from the agents on measures neces-  
sary to mitigate actual distress and  
to enable the farmers to carry a nor-  
mal supply of livestock, particularly  
foundation stock, through the win-  
ter.

Hyde said banks and individuals in  
the drouth areas should give tem-  
porary aid wherever needed and  
should persuade the farmer to hold  
his livestock.

The President was told by C. E.  
Huff, president of the Farmers' Na-  
tional Grain Corporation, that the  
drouth would result in wiping out the  
large wheat surplus and permit the  
farmers to start next year in better  
shape. Huff and S. H. Thompson,  
president of the Farm Bureau Fed-  
eration, discussed farm conditions at  
length with the President.

Despite scattered rains, Weather  
Bureau officials said today there had  
been no relief from the drouth, and  
that the forecast for tonight and to-  
morrow was not encouraging.

Carl Williams, Farm Board mem-  
ber representing cotton, outlined to-  
day a plan by which the board may  
be able to extend aid to drouth-  
stricken farmers through the grain  
stabilization corporation.

"If existing seed distribution agen-  
cies or other business men and farm-  
ers in any stricken community, coun-  
ty, district or State", he said, "will  
form under the laws of their own  
State a responsible corporation which  
will guarantee the payment of notes  
to be given by individual farmers, a  
plan probably can be quickly develop-  
ed whereby the grain stabilization  
corporation can sell seed grains of  
any kind in car lots at market prices  
on easy payments of one or two  
years.

"The local organizations would ar-  
range for local distribution of the  
seed thus supplied and see to the col-  
lection of the farmers' notes when  
due. It would make no profit on its  
services and would make proper ar-  
rangements for the payment of  
freight".

Williams said the grain stabiliza-  
tion corporation board agency has  
plenty of grain and can buy more to  
replace that sold for feed.

Assurance reached the President  
from the railroads that they would  
co-operate in any measures deter-  
mined on by the administration to  
get feed and cattle together.

## THE BRIMMING CUP

Yet, upon this eternal hill  
Your hand is grasped in mine,  
We watch with night and all is still—  
And flows the sweet, the peaceful  
wine—

The wine of life we sup at ease,  
Sup and bless at the close of day,  
The wine we made but to appease  
That hunger, that lust, not be  
washed away.

Upon this hill your bright eyes gleam  
Your hand is warm with love;  
We've washed aclear all sign of  
dream

And left our plights to Him above.  
You've dried away the tears gone by  
Come, sup this peaceful glass with  
me;

That breeze that dries your dampen-  
ed eye  
sea.

—Jas. Huls.

CRITICISES FORD FOR SELLING  
IRISH-MADE TRACTORS IN U. S.

Boston, Aug. 12.—Henry Ford to-  
day was criticised by Mathew Woll,  
third vice-president of the American  
Federation of Labor, for manufac-  
turing tractors in Ireland and im-  
porting them into this country. Woll  
spoke before the State Convention of  
the American Federation of Labor.

"American capital", he said, "is  
invested abroad not to elevate the  
standards of the workers, but to ex-  
ploit the cheap labor and the assets  
of Europe and Asia and place our  
own people in competition with them.

"Henry Ford is lauded as a great  
industrialist whose policy is to let  
the people who can manufacture the  
cheapest supply the world. We may  
look with apprehension upon such a  
philosophy with reference to the fu-  
ture welfare of America.

"Today he is not manufacturing a  
single tractor in America. They are  
all made in Dublin, Ireland, and im-  
ported into the United States. If  
that be American patriotism, let  
America beware!"

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Frank Compas to Scott County  
Building & Loan Association, 1 acre  
in Kelso, \$250.

Cape Land & Investment Co. to  
Phoenix Realty Co., land 36-29-12,  
\$1.

Southeast Missouri Trust Co. to  
Phoenix Realty Co., land 21-26-14,  
\$1.

Mrs. H. E. Barks, heirs to P. J.  
Geisner, land 18-28-13, \$200.

Chaffee Building & Loan Associa-  
tion to J. F. Keller, lots 21, 22 block  
9 Chaffee, \$1.

Roscoe Gilbreath and George Dye  
to Kansas City Joint Stock Land  
Bank, land 10-62-14, \$2000.

L. O. Rodas to Mary Roth, land in  
survey 1109, lot 5, part lots 1, 2 blk.  
5 Applegate 1st addition Sikeston,  
\$1.

Cape Land & Investment Co. to  
Southeast Missouri Trust Co.:  
295.845a 2-27-13; 68.82a 3-2-13;  
74.46a 3-27-13; 291a 3-27-13; 133.15a  
3-27-13; 16.30a 3-27-13; 39.16a 4-27-  
14; 7.44a 4-27-13; .06a 4-27-13; 3.45a  
7-27-13; 60.232a 7-27-13, \$1.—Ben-  
ton Democrat.

The matter of variety and con-  
trast in the texture and flavor of the  
foods combined in one meal is not  
always given sufficient thought.  
Serve something crunchy like toast  
or browned crumbs on a scalloped  
dish, something soft, as a white  
sauce or custard, something crisp and  
fresh, like lettuce or cold slaw, to  
given variety in texture. For variety  
in flavor some foods should be  
bland or mild, like potatoes or bread;  
some should have a pronounced fla-  
vor, as in the case of rare steak,  
roast lamb, ham, or cheese, or some  
of the vegetables such as cauliflower,  
cabbage, onions, green peppers.

There should also be something sour  
in itself, like tomato or pickles, or  
like spinach or beets, something that  
is ordinarily served with vinegar, or  
a salad with French dressing. Sweet  
flavor is usually provided in the des-  
sert, or it may be introduced else-  
where, as in candied sweet potatoes,  
or as jelly with meat. The five food  
groups should also be represented—  
vegetables and fruit, cereal or  
starchy foods, efficient protein foods,  
fats and sugars. The relative pro-  
portions of foods chosen from these

groups should supply sufficient pro-  
tein of the right kind, calories, min-  
erals and vitamins.

ICE FOUND IN 172-FOOT  
WELL IN SOUTH DAKOTA

Rapid City, S. D., August 11.—A  
natural ice well, 172 feet under-  
ground from which ice can be cut in  
hottest weather, is occasioning much  
interest here. The well is at the  
gypsum plaster mill at Black Hawk.  
In digging for gypsum at the plant,  
workmen sunk a shaft at the end of  
which a large hole was excavated in  
taking out gypsum. This filled with  
water to a depth of 8 feet which  
freezes in summer.

The Standard \$1.50 per year.



An electric iron  
affords the great-  
est convenience of  
any household  
appliance.

A Dependable and  
Far Reaching Service

A few years ago our mortuary serv-  
ices were practically limited to the  
bounds of our own city. Not so to-  
day. Our modern motor equipment  
extended the scope of our services to  
distant points as well as to the sur-  
rounding territory. We are prepar-  
ed, night or day, to render prompt  
and efficient service to those in dis-  
tress. Phones: Day—17 Night—111

## Albritton Undertaking Co.

Phones: Day 17, Night 111

PIGGLY  
WIGGLY

## "THE MODERN WAY"

GREEN PEPPER, each ---3c

Green Beans, 2 lbs. ---25c

CELERY, 2 stalks ---15c

RHUBARB, lb. ---15c

FRESH PEACHES, lb. ---10c

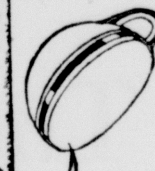
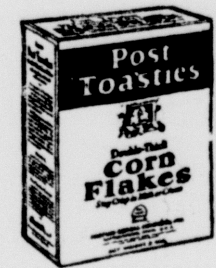
CARROTS, per bunch ---4c

BEETS, per bunch ---4c

GREEN PEAS, lb. ---12½c

LEMONS, per doz. ---39c

HEAD LETTUCE, lb. ---20c

"Good to  
the last drop"1 lb. cans - 38c  
3 lb. cans - \$1.14Small Pkgs.  
3 for 20cLarge Pkgs.  
2 for 21c

H. &amp; K. Coffee, lb. can ---38c

PEABERRY COFFEE,  
1 lb. package ---25cCampbell's Pork & Beans,  
3 for ---22c

Swans Down Cake Flour ---29c

HOLY HILL PEAS,  
No. 2 cans ---11cCampbell's Soups, all kinds,  
3 for ---22c

Domino Pure Cane sugar, 10 lb. cloth bag ---55c

Domino Pure Cane Sugar, 25 lb. cloth bag ---\$1.33

P. &amp; G. SOAP, 3 bars ---10c

LUX TOILET SOAP, 3 bar ---20c

Canova Peanut  
Butter1 pound jar  
27c

Corn med. tin, 3 for ---22c

Chum Salmon, 2 cans ---30c

Hominy, lg. cans, 3 for ---23c

## MARKET

PORK ROAST ---23c

PORK CHOPS ---25c

PORK SAUSAGE, pure ---18c

PURE HOG LARD ---12½c

DRY SALT SIDE ---19c

DRY SALT CHUNK ---13c

BEEF ROAST, ---21c

HAMBURGER ---18c

STEW MEAT ---16c

CALLIES, Hockless ---22c

Sugar Cured Bacon,  
½ or whole ---25c



## County Agent Renner Gives Timely Tips To Our Farmers

In an effort to be of service to the people of the county, and give out information that will help provide food for man and beast following the worst drouth that has visited some sections in 100 years or more, the Democrat has asked County Agent Renner for some material that will apply should there be rainfall within the next week or so.

It certainly behooves the people to raise all they can to eat for themselves and also for their stock.

### Hay and Pasture

Mr. Renner says "If it rains within the next few days there will be time enough to plant millet or sudan grass for pasture or hay. Sudan can be planted later than millet and will make good pasture thirty days after planting, provided sufficient moisture is present in the soil".

### Silos in the Hills

The farmers in the hill sections of the county may turn their corn fodder into silage by using a trench silo. This is being used extensively in the north and no doubt will work satisfactorily on land that it well drained—so no seepage water will enter the silo.

Dig a trench 6x6 or 8x8 feet and as long as necessary. Take the excavated dirt and pile up on the sides to make the silo deep. Put cut corn fodder in the trench and pack down with horses or a tractor. When the trench silo is filled, mound up with the cut corn fodder about three feet above the ground level. Then cover

with wet straw about one foot deep and allow to settle. Later the silo is covered with straw, dirt and boards. Anyone interested in a trench silo should see County Agent A. J. Renner who has plans for this method of saving feed.

### Fall Gardens

Many vegetables can be planted as late as September 15th. Mustard, radish, lettuce, turnips and spinach are included in this list. Beets and bunch beans may be planted if it rains within the next week.

### Save Old Corn For Seed

Seed corn will be scarce in 1931. It will pay farmers who have good 1929 corn to select their seed from that lot and save it until next spring. Select your desirable seed, then have it tested before planting. That is the only method to use in telling how your seed will germinate. Poor seed always means poor stands, while good seed lessens the possibility of having to replant.

### This Is Mighty Important

The Democrat feels that the above recommendations by County Agent Renner are very important and farmers should heed them by planting all the deepest eyes, the bluest cheer—for the stock.

Times will be mighty hard this winter and everything that can be provided from the farm or garden helps just that much, and the Democrat is mighty glad to pass along this information to its readers.—Benton Democrat.

## AS I SEE IT

By I'm About Town

Apples and small gifts have been used to influence some teachers to give pupils "better marks" in school.

The Chicago school marm who married an 18-year-old pupil reversed the situation and married the pupil.

Now she must spend a day in jail and pay a \$300 fine because a Judge held that she "took unfair advantage" by misstating her age. She is 23.

The young husband might have reminded the said jurist that one never looks a gift horse in the mouth.

A husband at any odds, the lady in question might have sassed back.

At any rate, they should be happy as soon as the judge gets his \$300. The pupil-teacher attitude should be an advantage of some sort.

We may be spoiling our chances of ever acquiring one of these 100 per cent worldbeaters, but we are of the opinion that Miss Lucy is full of heap much hokum, in the words of Chief You Said It.

Miss Lucy M. Alexander, home economics expert of the U. S. Dept. of Ag. says "if the 1930 bride can't beat her mother-in-law at cooking, she is a fizzle."

"The bride of today ought to be a 50 per cent better cook than her mother or mother-in-law, for she has better tools to work with, better materials and more knowledge about how to prepare a meal".

That "ought to be" is the joker. And then, too, after eating a bridge luncheon and mid-afternoon highball and wafers what 1930 bride wants to be bothered with steaks and biscuits?

## RETURNED CHECK FORGER GETS 2 YEARS

A rush which carried him past his jailer Wednesday morning at the County holdover resulted in the recapture later that day of Vernon York, 19, confessed and sentenced check forger.

In July, 1929, York forged a check for \$28 and cashed it at the local Buckner-Ragsdale Store Co. The check was drafted on Clarence York, an uncle, living near here. A warrant charging the young man with the deed was issued upon complaint of George Lough, manager of the clothing firm, and the trial was set for this week Thursday, August 15.

York changed his mind about standing trial the first of this week and pleaded guilty before Judge Frank Kelly in Circuit Court who meted out a two-year sentence in the State prison at Jefferson City. He staged a rush past one of Tom Scott's helpers while the latter was bringing breakfast to the inmates of the County jail. A deputy sheriff, Lee, captured the young man about three miles from Benton.

The forger and his brother, Albert, 22 years old, left for Oklahoma soon after their escapade here last year. They returned July 12 last, in a car alleged to have been stolen. Albert was returned to Oklahoma recently to face charges of auto theft in that State.

### CHRISTIAN CHURCH TO HOLD SERVICES SUNDAY

H. Lee Jacobs of Kennett will preach at the morning and evening services at the Christian church Sunday. The time of worship is set for 10:45 in the morning and 7:30 in the evening.

### BAPTIST CHURCH

All services Sunday will begin at the regular hour. The pastor will speak on "Temptations" at the 11 o'clock service.

A study series of the gospel of John will be started next Wednesday night at the church. Everyone is invited to attend.

### BREAKS HAND IN FALL

Herman Bandy, assitant to his father in selling Piercece Petroleum products in and near Skeston, is carrying a broken right hand in a sling. Bandy had the misfortune to break two bones in his most useful hand Tuesday evening, when he tried to break the force of a fall with his right arm.

### A Little Lost Motion

A contributor to the People's Column in a metropolitan daily cannot see consistency in one branch of government urging smaller crops and others spending millions on drainage districts and building dams for irrigating purposes in order to transform waste places into farm lands. It does look a little like "chewing up terbacker and spittin' out ther juice".—Columbia Tribune.

## ASSIGN NEW NUMBERS TO SCOUT TROOPS

With the organization of the Southeast Missouri Area Council Boy Scouts of America it has become necessary to remember the troops of the Districts. In the past there have been several troops of the same number in different communities and hence it would be impossible to designate the troops by number alone. For instance, there is a Troop 1 in each of several towns.

The system which has been used in assigning the new numbers has been to set aside certain blocks of numbers for each District as follows:

Nos. 1 to 30—Cape Girardeau District.  
Nos. 31 to 40—Charleston District.  
Nos. 41 to 60—Sikeston District.  
61 or above—Poplar Bluff District.

Troops in the districts with their old and new numbers are given below:

Cape Girardeau District:  
Troops 1, 2, 3, 4, 9 Cape Girardeau have the same numbers.

Troop 1 at Jackson is now No. 11;

No. 1, Lutesville, 12; No. 1 Marble Hill, 14; No. 1 Ilmo, No. 15.

Charleston District—  
Troop City New No.  
1 Charleston 31

111 Charleston 33

1 Anniston 35

1 East Prairie 36

Sikeston District—

1 Sikeston 41

1 New Madrid 47

1 Blodgett 46

1 Dexter 51

1 Risco 52

1 Parma 53

Poplar Bluff District—

1 Poplar Bluff 61

111 Poplar Bluff 63

1 Piedmont 71

1 Ellsinore 72

1 Neelyville 73

1 Doniphan 74

1 Winona 75

1 Greenville 76

It will be noted that most troops have received new numbers under the system of assigning arbitrarily certain blocks of numerals to each district.

The number for any troop will be thus distinctive, indicating the District in which the troop is located. Also there will be no duplication of numbers within the Area.

Traffic was temporarily routed around a five hundred-foot gap in Highway 60 just east of Wyatt Wednesday and Thursday this week, while contractors on the setback levee job blasted the 500-foot section and completed the ramp over which traffic will eventually be routed.

The levee which Army Engineers hope will assist in checking the Mississippi when the Cairo "fuse plug" is opened to relieve pressure, crosses the State road near the Wyatt railroad tracks. About five miles of Highway 60 will be flooded in case the river is allowed to use the giant auxiliary channel.

An eight hundred-foot detour or by-pass is being used while the mound is being thrown up across the road.

The contractors on the levee job will gravel the ramp and traffic will be routed over the levee and along concrete on the other side as formerly.

Never buy anything that you do not need just because it is cheap. The fact you do not need it takes it out of the "bargain" class immediately.

Hog raisers in 37 States have produced a total of 4159 official ton litters since the project was started in Indiana in 1922, according to the United States Department of Agriculture. Pennsylvania leads the States with a production of 549 litters weighing a ton or more at 180 days of age. Indiana is second with a total of 500 litters, followed by Illinois with 479, Tennessee with 415, Ohio with 336, and Minnesota with 314.

The soybean was introduced into the United States as early as 1804, but only in the last 10 years have we really begun to appreciate it. Production is now reaching commercial proportions, according to the United States Department of Agriculture. The crop has many things in its favor. It produces a large yield of beans and an excellent forage. It is easy to grow and to harvest. The beans have great possibilities in the production of oil, meal, and human food and industrial products. Soybean production will continue to increase as we find better methods and machinery for handling the crop and still more uses for the soybean and its products for industrial purposes.



## Beware of Strangers

"Just as good" is the catch phrase of substitution

Strange names may be appearing on the shelves and counters where you shop. With no reputation of their own—they set up their articles in competition with products which you know. With no established quality of their own—they intrude among the articles which have proved their quality to Southeast Missourians.

## Demand the Credentials of Everything You Buy

Know who represents it to the retailer, who stands in back of it. Know that it is sold through your local wholesaler for he is the one most responsible for the well being of your food supply.

## You Need Take No Chances With Fox, Radio, Golden Drip Brands

They are packed by and for your local wholesaler who in turn sells to the local home owned store which keeps in our local radius all possible money from each dollar spent for food in Southeast Missouri.

Refuse Substitutes--Buy the Known Brand Every Time

McKnight-Keaton Wholesale Grocery Co.  
SKESTON, MISSOURI

## MEMPHIS FRISCO CLUB HERE SUNDAY IN LAST OF THREE-GAME SERIES

With a win and a loss each, the Memphis Frisco Club and Skeston will cross bats in the rubber game of the series Sunday afternoon at Fairgrounds Park. Game will be called at 3:00 o'clock sharp.

The locals rallied in the ninth inning of their first encounter with the Memphians and won three to two, after trailing through eight innings. Fish of Cape Girardeau started on the mound for Skeston, but was sent to the showers in the fourth, replaced by Burrus. Meadows pitched for the Frisco Club.

In the second game, July 13, the visitors trounced Malone's men five to four in a seven-inning game. The home boys managed to collect eight safeties during the afternoon, but

failed to make good their chances and lost to the visitors who happened to find Eddie Kerns, Cardinal moundsman, on an off day.

The game Sunday promises plenty of action. Malone is making an effort to secure Bradshaw of Memphis, formerly with Newark of the International League for the mound position. If he is not available, Burrus will pitch.

Malone will be forced to load the team for the game Sunday because the National Guard encampment still claims the attention of several players. A dark horse first sacker is slated for that position, showing Smetzer to his old position at third. Hudson will be at short. Gore, Schuh, Dowdy, Bowman and Kindred will complete the lineup.

### GUM MACHINE THIEF GETS THREE MONTHS

Robbing a gum vending machine in the Skeston Missouri Pacific Station Sunday night brought a three-month sentence to Wilbur McAlhane, alias Frank Brown, 19, of Ft. Wayne, Ind., and points at large, when the youth pleaded guilty in Circuit Court Tuesday morning.

Baked chicken and fried chicken dinner and supper Sunday at Shepard's Cafe.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. J. H. Held is on the sick list, suffering from high blood pressure.

Charles E. Dover and family have arrived from Tampa, Fla., where they have been living for several years, and will make their home in Skeston. Mr. Dover has had considerable trouble with his eyes and expects to enter a St. Louis hospital for treatment.

### BAPTIST CHURCH TO START MISSION SCHOOL IN FRISCO

According to Rev. A. C. Rudloff the first meeting scheduled by the Mission Sunday School will be held Thursday night at 7:45 o'clock in the Swaim building in Frisco.

The matter of starting a Mission School in Skeston has been under advisement by the Philadelphia Brotherhood of the Baptist church for some time. Final arrangements were completed this week, and the church school is to be formally opened next week.

Lyle Malone went to St. Louis on business Thursday.

Miss Mary A. Purcell, daughter of Mrs. Nellie Purcell has re-enrolled at the Chillicothe Business College for a review of her work in the Complete Course of business training. Miss Purcell was a student at the Business College two years ago.



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### ISLAND 1700 FEET HIGH SINKS AFTER ERUPTION

Batavia, Java, August 9.—The island of Anak Krakatau, or, translated into English, Child of Krakatau, which yesterday had a height of 1700 feet, today disappeared beneath the surface of the sea during intense activity of nearby Krakatau, which is throwing out fountains of fire.

Krakatau is a small island of the Malay Archipelago in Sunda Strait, between Sumatra and Java. From May to August, 1883, there occurred probably the most tremendous volcanic eruptions of modern times, by which two-thirds of the island was completely blown away. A gigantic wave was formed, by which 20,000 people perished, the wave being noticeable as far away as the English Channel.

It is nice to paste pictures of the dish on the reserve side of the recipe card whenever possible. Then you are not apt to forget the suggestions for garnishing.

### HASKELL INDIANS FOR NIGHT GAME IN CAPE

The famous Haskell Indians football team will be in Cape Girardeau for a game the evening of October 17, the first night game ever played in Southeast Missouri. This will be a great game as the Haskell Indians always have an outstanding team.

Work underway on road leading north from Maysville towards Fairport.

If your sewing machine has been closed for any length of time, it will probably need a thorough going over. Wipe and dust it carefully, fill your oil can with kerosene, oil every part and run it vigorously without thread until well loosened up. Then oil with good quality of machine oil and go over all the parts again. Wipe and clean carefully, stitch on scraps until the thread is perfectly clean, and as a final precaution, tie a bit of wool on the presser foot above the needle to prevent any oil from running down on the work.

### FALL TERM TEACHERS COLLEGE OPENS SEPT. 16

Cape Girardeau.—The fall term of the Southeast Missouri State Teachers College will open for Freshmen registration at 8 a. m. September 16. Students above the Freshman class will register on Wednesday, September 17. Recitations will begin on Thursday.

Indications point to a large enrollment this fall for the regular term and also for the special ten-weeks' course for teachers of cotton vacation schools which will begin September 22. Several additional instructors will be employed for this special short course.

Catalogs can be secured by writing to President Joseph A. Serena for the regular term and for the special ten weeks course.

An English act of 1650, placed a fine on profane swearing; grading the penalties according to class. A lord could swear once for \$7.50, whereas an "inferior person" was only fined some 80c.



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N. E. Fuchs  
Mary R. Roth

## REPUBLICAN TICKET

Circuit Clerk  
Cecil C. Reed

The Red Cross officials in this city  
will have plenty of free work to do  
this fall and winter to assist those in  
need. Food, clothes and fuel for the  
family and food for stock will be in  
demand. The Red Cross will need your  
co-operation and if called upon, indi-  
viduals should investigate cases  
seeking assistance. In the past the  
Red Cross has been imposed upon and  
the call will likely be so great this  
time that each and every case should  
be investigated before supplies are  
issued. Mr. Brenton, the chairman, is  
liberal and sympathetic, but he will  
only be the agent of those who con-  
tribute to the fund, so must account  
for moneys expended. Do your duty  
by helping him do his duty.

There will be little danger of any-  
one starving to death in the United  
States, but a great many will likely  
be on short rations. Fuel to keep  
fires going will be a troublesome  
proposition as it takes money to buy  
wood and coal. Begin now to get  
ready for the chilly winds of Novem-  
ber.

Otis Fahrenkopf expected to put  
out a fall bean crop so carried home  
the seed beans to await a shower.  
Wednesday morning was the time  
and he had the place, but no beans.  
His wife thought the bean seed were  
to cook, so proceeded to boil them. It  
was all right, though, as he had a  
mess of beans and the seed store got  
to sell him the second bag of beans.

The State Crippled Children's  
Service conducted three clinics in  
Southeast Missouri during the month  
of July. The first was held at Ken-  
nett in Dunklin County on July 10,  
and was sponsored by the County  
Health Unit. 31 children were exam-  
ined and recommendations made for  
further treatment. On July 11, a  
similar clinic was held at New Madrid  
in New Madrid County and was also  
sponsored by the Health Unit of that  
county. 41 children were examined.  
The third clinic was held on July 12,  
at Marble Hill in Bollinger County,  
and was arranged by the Rev. W. M.  
Griffin of Patton, Mo. 21 children  
came for examination. A total of 93  
were examined at the three clinics.  
Unfortunately the funds for main-  
tenance of the State Crippled Children's  
Service at Columbia are not sufficient  
to allow the admission of a large num-  
ber of patients and it has been neces-  
sary to reduce the number in the hos-  
pital because of diminishing funds. In  
spite of this fact increasing demands  
are being made upon the State Service  
for the admission of children. As a  
result, patients with deformities that  
do not require a long time residence  
in the hospital are being given prefer-  
ence on admission, so that the great-  
est possible number of children may  
receive benefit.

## Farmers and the Tariff

There has long been a tariff on  
eggs, yet they sold for 18 cents here  
lately, that is, that's what the farm-  
er got for them. Last Monday, but-  
terfat was quoted at 27 cents here  
and creamery butter was selling for  
twice that at some local stores. And  
now there's a tariff on butter, but  
most farmers sell the butterfat and  
not the butter, so the tariff benefits  
the butter factories rather than the  
farmer, while the user—all the peo-  
ple—pay the tribute or tax. Hogs and  
cattle, as usual, are selling on the  
hoof at about one-fourth or one-  
fifth what we pay for them as dress-  
ed meat.

It is impossible to make any but a  
fool farmer believe a tariff benefits  
him when he sees his stuff going for  
so small a part of what it brings  
when the ultimate consumer buys it.  
There is no reason for such a differ-  
ence between what the farmer gets  
and what the consumer pays except  
that the cost of manufacture is too  
high for this efficient age of industry.

or somebody is getting a helluva pro-  
fit at the expense of the farmer and  
the consumer both.—Dexter States-  
man.

With all the precincts reported in  
the recent primary, James F. Ful-  
bright, of Doniphan, former Con-  
gressman, won the Democratic nomi-  
nation for Congress in the 14th dis-  
trict by 1695 votes over Orville Zim-  
merman, of Kennett. The vote was:  
Fulbright, 15,730; Zimmerman, 14,-  
035. Mr. Zimmerman wrote Mr. Ful-  
bright a letter of congratulations  
last week and pledged his support to  
the nominee and entire ticket in the  
November election.

Thirty-five women and children  
were injured in Memphis, Monday,  
when a balcony crashed during a  
"bargain sale". No men were pres-  
ent.

A good sign to place at railroad  
crossings for the autoists: "He who  
stops and looks each way, may live  
to stop some other day".

## The Failing Signs of Rain

The chap who first said that all  
signs fail in dry weather started  
something that just cannot stop. The  
saying has a basis of painful truth.  
It simply means that when we are  
afflicted with a real drouth, the signs  
that ordinarily are dependable be-  
come meaningless. We should like  
to give heartening credence to the  
theory that the "crowing" of robins  
noted by Mrs. James Mayne White  
means that "dey's gonna be a lot o'  
rain", as the old negro weather prop-  
hets had it; but even with the co-  
incidence of crowing robins and ach-  
ing feet, we still must discount rain  
signs.

The moon, now verging on fullness,  
has been a "wet moon" since it ap-  
peared as a crescent nights ago.  
There have been evenings when flies  
have bitten viciously, a sure sign,  
some say, with conditions normal.  
Several times since the hot, dry  
weather has beset us, the sounds of  
distant trains have been uncommonly  
distinct, another augury that has  
failed. So, while there is little en-  
couragement in the old rain signs,  
there is the assurance that the break  
is sure to come, signs or no signs.

Even with our patience, our nerves  
and our reputations as prophets sad-  
ly impaired, we may recall with some  
comfort the answer of the cautious  
politician who made it a rule not to  
commit himself positively on any-  
thing. When asked whether he tho't  
it would rain, he said he could not  
tell, but he thought so. "It always  
has, you know".—K. C. Star.

On a grave stone in Princess Anne  
County, Virginia, carries the follow-  
ing epitaph: "Here lies the body of  
Henry Moore, who got in the way of  
a 44".—Believe It Or Not.

The Standard is neither the biggest  
nor the best paper in the land, but  
just an ordinary country sheet. The  
editor cusses and discusses most of  
the things of interest to the com-  
munity and is willing for the com-  
munity to either cuss or discuss him.  
It will be all right.

The vine-growing south of France  
is said to have prevailed upon the  
Minister of Education to revise  
school books in which pupils are urged  
to drink water. There can be no  
doubt about the soundness of the doc-  
trine of prohibition. The sole difficul-  
ty resides in deciding what should be  
prohibited: for America it is wine,  
and for France it is water.

With school but two weeks off,  
mothers are now looking over cloth-  
ing and footwear of their children.  
When unpacking the winter clothing,  
lay aside all articles that have heret-  
ofore been discarded and hold for  
calls later on. All underwear, old  
clothes, worn shoes and bedding that  
can be spared, should be tied up,  
marked and held in reserve. Hardly  
a home in the city but what can  
make up a package that will be a God  
send to some person this fall and  
winter who will have no money to  
purchase needed articles. Will you  
do this?

If the proposed plan to raise let-  
ter postage from two to two-and-a-  
half cents goes into effect, the con-  
sequences will be far-reaching.  
Stamps are perishable things, and  
the letter-writer is entitled to buy  
them one at a time. A half-cent  
would be a cluttering and impossible  
coin, and the alternative appears to  
be the provision of a two-and-a-half-  
cent piece. Such a coin would be an  
open invitation to raise the price of  
open invitation to raise the price of  
which is a minor multiple of two.  
Perhaps the postal system should  
be made self-sustaining, but it should  
not be put on a business basis by any  
scheme which, in its ultimate op-  
eration, will lay a general commodity  
tax on the small-scale buyer.

Last Saturday when the weekly  
drawing was being conducted on the  
streets of this city, Mr. Ridgley, the  
announcer stated the drawing should  
be made an "equal" affair and since  
white boys had been drawing the  
numbers from the container, he pro-  
posed that time to have the colored  
lads to the front. In line with such  
thought he called colored lads to the  
platform and had them perform. It  
strikes us that this is a good deal like  
the performance of the Republican  
party during election times. They  
shove the negro to the front and have  
him serve the white bosses with their  
ballots, but we haven't yet seen  
any of the colored boys' names on the  
ticket. Since they furnish a large  
majority of the Republican ballots  
if their anxiety to treat the boys so  
nicely who furnish their majorities  
were genuine, they should give them  
representation on their ticket and let  
them have some of the "gravy". And  
the colored boys are in position to  
demand it, not only by having earned  
it many times over but through sheer  
strength of numbers.—Caruthersville  
Democrat.

# MALONE THEATRE

7:00 O'CLOCK NIGHTLY  
COOL—COMFORTABLE

Thursday and Friday  
August 14 and 15

Laurence TIBBETT  
The Rogue Song



The Metropolitan Opera Star in a new  
miracle of the talking screen.

NEWS and Comedy—"TRUSTING  
WIVES"

MATINEE AT 3 P. M. FRIDAY

SATURDAY ONLY  
August 16

"The Arizona Kid"

with WARNER BAXTER

in his greatest role as a quick shoot-  
ing but quicker love-making border  
bad man. Mona Maris, Carol Lam-  
bard and Mrs. Jimenez are in the cast  
of this great outdoor romantic movie-  
drama.

COMEDY CARTOON and Episode 3  
"THE ACE OF SCOTLAND YARD"

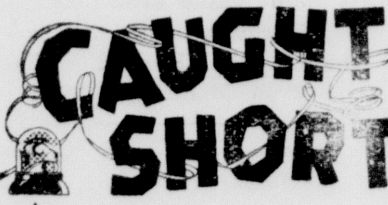
Continuous Shows 2:30 until 11 p. m.

Sunday and Monday  
August 17 and 18

Afternoon and Evening



MARIE DRESSLER  
POLLY MORAN



with ANITA PAGE

They cleaned up in the kitchen—they  
cleaned up in Wall Street—and then  
By popular demand these hilarious  
stars have been brought together to  
give you the grandest fun you've  
ever had in any picture theatre!  
They're a scream! And their picture  
takes them to the top of a Wall  
Street boom and down again for a  
joyride without equal for laughs!  
Hold tight! We're off!

NEWS and Comedy—"SHOOTING  
GALLERY"

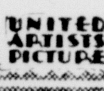
Matinee Sunday—2:30 Mon.—3:00

Tuesday and Wednesday  
August 19 and 20



SAMUEL GOLDWYN  
presents

RONALD COLMAN  
"CONDEMNED!"  
ANN HARDING  
and LOUIS WOLHEIM



REVIEW & Comedy—"HARD BOIL-  
ED HAMPTON"

MATINEE WED.—3:00

COMING—Clara Bow in "LOVE  
AMONG THE MILLIONAIRES" and  
Al Jolson in "MAMMY"

SNOW AND A FROST  
WITH MERCURY AT 37.  
CHASE HEAT IN EAST

Oneida, N. Y., August 12.—Old  
Man Weather, tired of his heat en-  
durance attempt, dropped snow out  
of his bag of tricks here today. The  
flurry lasted only a moment and was  
followed by rain. The temperature  
shot down below sixty.

Franklin, Pa., August 12.—The  
weather that a week ago was uncom-  
fortably hot turned to the other ex-  
treme today and frosts were reported  
in the vicinity of Franklin. The of-  
ficial thermometer registered 37 de-  
grees, the coldest August 12 on re-  
cord here.

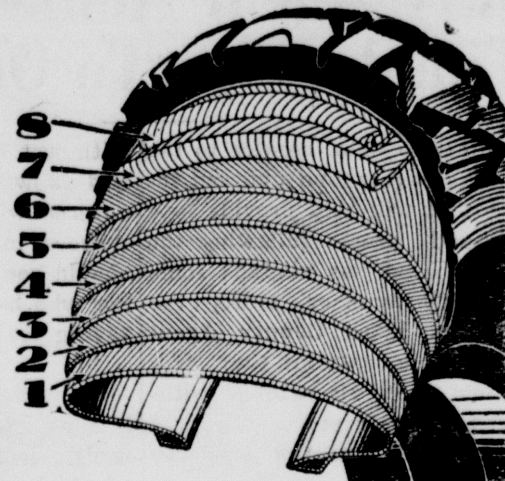
The extent of damage to crops, al-  
ready virtually destroyed by drouth,  
was not determined. The corn and  
potato crops for the most part were  
wholly lost as a result of the dry  
weather.

Baked chicken and fried chicken  
dinner and supper Sunday at Shep-  
pard's Cafe.

It was a universal superstition at  
one time that the world was filled  
with evil spirits seeking admission  
everywhere. It was to frighten away  
these evil spirits that a grotesque  
face was originally placed on the  
door-knocker of a house.

The swishish is able to pump it-  
self full of air with amazing swift-  
ness and swell up into a little bal-  
loon. These fish when pursued by  
enemies, rush to the surface, inflate  
themselves and then allow the wind  
to blow them along the top of the  
water like top balloons.

# 8 plies under the Tread



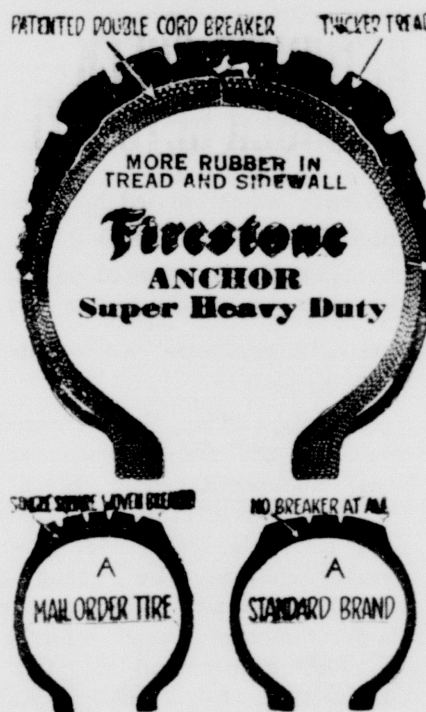
## Here is EXTRA SAFETY!

FOR the high powered, high speed cars of today, with needed quick starts and  
stops, you should have this extra protection. Just look at the inside of this  
Firestone Anchor Super Heavy Duty Tire. There are eight plies of cords under  
the all Non-Skid, Center Traction Tread. It is a big—tough—strong tire—a con-  
struction that insures against punctures and blowouts.

Come In and See for  
Yourself!

We have cut up various brands  
of tires, so that you can see the  
inside construction. Come in  
and make these comparisons,  
section for section, and you will  
readily see the superiority of  
Firestone.

We sell and service the com-  
plete line of Firestone Tires,  
Tubes, Batteries, Rims, Brake  
Lining and Accessories, and  
actually give you greater  
values.



The Firestone Anchor Super Heavy  
Duty Balloon has a double cord  
breaker—8 plies under the tread.  
Some other makes have no breaker  
at all and some a single breaker  
made with old-fashioned, square  
woven fabric that Firestone dis-  
carded when they developed the  
balloon tire.

DOUBLE GUARANTEE: Every tire Firestone makes bears the name "FIRE-  
STONE", and every tire we sell carries the Firestone  
Unlimited Guarantee and ours. You are doubly protected—absolutely assured every dollar you spend  
buys real quality and satisfaction. We guarantee that you will get all the miles out of your tires  
that have been built in by Firestone.

We Mount Your Tires FREE • Drive In Today!

SAFETY . . .  
Everyone Should Have  
PRICES . . .  
Everyone Can Afford to Pay

WE HAVE JOINED with Firestone's Co-operative Plan to  
give you lower prices and plus values by reducing operat-  
ing costs, and with volume business on a small margin of profit  
we are able to make you these substantial savings.

Firestone  
OLDFIELD

	Our Tire (Cash Price)	*Mail Order Tire
4.40-21	\$5.55	\$5.55
4.50-21	6.35	6.35
4.75-19	7.55	7.55
5.00-19	7.98	7.98
5.00-20	8.15	8.15
5.25-18	8.98	8.98
5.25-21	9.75	9.75
6.00-20	12.55	12.90

Other Sizes Proportionately Low

H. P. TRUCK TIRES

30x5	\$19.45	\$19.45
32x6	34.10	34.10

COVERABLE  
CONSTRUCTION  
AND VALUES

Size	Our Tire	*Mail Order Tire
4.50-21	4.75 in.	4.72 in.
Width	14.50 lbs.	15.65 lbs.
Weight	5.98 in.	5.58 in.
Thickness of Tread	6	6
Rubber Volume	165 cu. in.	150 cu. in.

\*A "Mail Order" or "Special Brand" tire is made by some  
unknown manufacturer and sold under a name that does  
not identify him to the public, usually because he builds his  
"first grade" tires under his own name.

Firestone  
ANCHOR  
Super Heavy Duty

	Our Tire (Cash Price)	*Mail Order Tire
4.50-21	\$9.20	\$9.75
4.75-19	10.20	10.25
5.00-20	11.35	11.95
5.25-20	12.35	13.65
6.00-19	14.45	16.65
6.50-19	17.40	18.95
7.00-20	19.05	23.45

Other Sizes Proportionately Low

Firestone  
COURIER

	Our Tire (Cash Price)	*Mail Order Tire
30x3 1/2	\$4.20	\$4.20
4.40-21	4.79	4.79
4.50-21	5.35	5.35

# Scott County Motor Co.

A "Ford" Groves Ford Shop  
PHONE 256

PLENTY OF SEATS NOW FOR  
SERVICES AT MALONE  
PARK SAT. AND SUNDAYS

Elder John B. Huffman announces  
that about eighteen more wooden  
benches have been placed near the  
band stand in Malone Park so that  
all who come now may be seated.

He will preach on the streets again  
Saturday afternoon at 2:30 at the  
park in front of Sterling's 5c to \$1.00  
Store.

Saturday evening at 8 o'clock the  
speaker will make a talk on "Do Wo-  
men Have the Right to Preach?"  
"Should Women Teach the Bible or  
Do Pastoral Work?" Come and hear  
what the Bible says about it, not  
what you think. Let the Bible prove  
this question.

Sunday morning at 10:30, Sunday  
school and classes for all. You are  
invited to come and bring the chil-  
dren. The children will receive a  
treat. Special Bible teaching for  
adults.

Sunday afternoon at 2:30, Elder  
Huffman will address the audience  
on "What is the Church?" "And  
How Do We Get Into It?" He does  
not preach creeds and doctrines. The  
world is going to hell over so many  
doctrines, so he will endeavor to give  
Bible scriptures showing just what is  
the church without doctrinal stuff.  
Come and hear it.

Sunday evening at 8 o'clock he will  
talk on "The Backslider", giving the  
scriptures from both the Old and  
New Testaments. The text, Hosea,  
14:4. Don't fail to hear it.  
Members of all denominations in-

cluded to every service. Glad that  
business and professional men and  
women are attending. We do not  
fight churches nor people, but only  
the world, flesh and the devil. People  
of all walks of life invited to attend  
hear the scriptures expounded. Come  
and bring the children with you.—  
John B. Huffman.

Baked chicken and fried chicken  
dinner and supper Sunday at Shep-  
pard's Cafe.

The little red schoolhouse at Free-  
port, Me., is no longer red, but it  
boasts 65 years' usage, the same old-  
fashioned benches, wooden black-  
boards, mugs on books, box-stove,  
foot-treadle organ, woodbox and Miss  
Fannie Mitchell, who has been teach-  
ing in Freeport since 1885. All the  
benches, she says, were cut from one  
tree.

A grim reminder of the tragedy of  
the Larchmont which went down  
with practically all passengers off  
Watch Hill, R. I., 23 years ago last  
February was brought to light by  
three North Providence boys in the  
form of six life preservers plainly  
marked with the name of the ship.  
The boys were sailing off Produce Is-  
land when they spied some rubbish  
off the shore. They put in to explore.  
While climbing over the rocks they  
found the life preservers, all in a fair  
condition, notwithstanding the rigors  
of 23 years of exposure. It is thought  
the preservers were driven into the  
rocks by an exceptionally high tide  
and remained in their resting place  
protected from sun and tides.

COTTON WITHSTANDING HEAT  
SAYS FRISCO CROP REPORT

Southeast Missouri and Northeast  
Arkansas—The weather has been hot  
and dry during the past week with  
only local showers reported here and  
there. The prolonged drouth re-  
mains unbroken and grows more se-  
rious day by day. All crops continued  
to deteriorate and reports indicate  
that there will be a shortage of feed  
crops in this section even if rain  
comes soon. The cotton crop is hold-  
ing up exceptionally well, and espe-  
cially so on land that has been plowed  
deep before planting and well culti-  
vated throughout the season. The  
plants are small for this section, but,  
for the most part, are well fruited.  
There has been no damage reported  
from disease or insect pests this sea-  
son except from leaf worms which  
have made their appearance in the  
vicinity of Caraway, Ark., in the St.  
Francis Basin, and in Pulaski and  
neighboring counties. Water supply  
for both home use and stock purpo-  
ses is becoming serious in many places.

No woman is allowed on Mount  
Athos, with its 146 monasteries. The  
rule is so rigidly kept that domes-  
tic animals belonging to the "fair  
sex" are barred.

Bulgaria put out a stamp showing  
the devastation caused by the bomb  
outrage in Sofia Cathedral in 1925,  
but the stamp recalled too many  
tragic memories and had to be with-  
drawn.



## LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MORLEY

Miss Leda Mae Daugherty had Skeston business Saturday.

Raymond Tomlinson was a business visitor in Skeston, Wednesday.

Miss Virginia Black of Vanduser is visiting her cousin, Eloise Stallings.

Mrs. J. W. Zimmerman left Friday for Ware, Ill., to visit her son for 10 days.

C. D. Harris, Jr., and Clarence Beardslee have been on the sick list the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Foster and children and Miss Helen Lee were Cairo visitors, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cutlip of East Prairie were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Watson, Friday.

Mr. W. T. Huffstader left the first of the week for St. Louis to visit his sister, Mrs. John Utnege.

The W. M. U. will hold their regular monthly meeting with Mrs. Harris Foster Wednesday, August 13.

Mrs. Charley Hitt and Mrs. Dave Mize and daughter, Miss Eva, went to Chaffee Friday to visit relatives.

Miss Lucille McDonough and Mrs. Hugh Johnson of Bell City left Sunday for Wickliffe and Barlow, Ky., to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Choate of near Marion, Ill., were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Clayton, Wednesday.

Mrs. Maude Daugherty and children returned Friday from a visit with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Howard Miller at Farmington.

An oil-burning engine is being installed at the cotton gin owned by the E. P. Coleman Gin Co., in preparation for the fall ginning.

Joe Leslie of St. Louis came down

Saturday afternoon for a week-end visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Leslie and other relatives.

H. F. and U. A. Emerson, P. B. Bartmes and Clint Terrell of Cairo Dr. Fred Ogilvie of Caruthersville, Harris Foster and Dave Gilliland spent a few days on Black River fishing and hunting.

Mrs. Ed Lee and children of Skeston visited over the week-end with her mother, Mrs. J. W. Payton and sisters, Mrs. Harry and Mrs. Arthur Penrose.

Mrs. Ivan McGlothlin and two daughters of Dexter left for their home Thursday, after a pleasant visit with the former's sister, Mrs. R. H. Leslie.

Misses Mona and Melba Bollinger and Maggie Wallace of Bell City have been visitors of Misses Helen Lee and Leda Mae Daugherty the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ranney of Commerce, Mrs. Bessie Fesler and children of Commerce, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Ranney and children of California and Hawthorn Ranney of Illinois were riday visitors of Mrs. Anna Beardslee and sons.

Word has been received here recently of the nomination of Henry Daugherty of Chelsea, Okla., for State Senator. Henry was reared in Morley and received his grade and high school education here, later being cashier of Banks at Morehouse and Canlon. Since moving to Oklahoma he has been admitted to the bar. He has many friends here who wish for him to be successful in the election.

Mrs. Emma Holdman, a former resident of Morehouse, now living in Detroit, Mich., is the guest of Mrs. J. D. Mercer.

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A. Tyson and Wes Taylor were business visitors of St. Louis this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Stanley of New Madrid visited relatives here Friday.

A. J. Jenkins and R. R. Givens were business visitors in Doniphan, Sunday.

Miss Gertrude Crumpecker visited friends in Morehouse, Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Addis Martin have been visiting relatives in St. Louis the past week.

Miss Polly McDonough and Leda Mae Daugherty visited friends in Morehouse, Thursday.

Mrs. A. C. Whitener, who has been visiting relatives at Marquand the past week, returned Friday.

Miss Frances Smith, who has been visiting in Flint, Mich., for the past month, returned to her home Saturday.

Miss Lucia Simmons, who has been visiting relatives in St. Louis for the past month, returned Saturday.

L. B. Pinnell of Caruthersville was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Tickell, Thursday as he was enroute to St. Louis.

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leaving New Madrid every hour, both day and night for Kentucky point.

Mrs. Harry Lee La Font and Miss Alyne LaFont and Lucille Segar of Portageville and Miss Frances Cook of Cedar Rapids, Ia., were guests of Miss Pansy Harris over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Warlick and daughter, Misses Mona and Mary Louise Barnett of Humboldt, Tenn., arrived Thursday for a few days visit with their son, H. O. Warlick, Jr., and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Loud and daughter, Miss Eddie, and Miss Alta Vogelsang of Cape Girardeau, left Saturday for St. Louis for a few days' visit and from there will make a ten-day tour of northern Indiana and Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hampton, Misses Mildred Gallivan and Lena Lewis and Russell Edmonston were guests of Horace Blair at a seven o'clock dinner at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Blair, Thursday evening.

Miss Virginia Francis left last week for Atlantic City, N. J., where she joined her sister, Mrs. D. W. Jayne, Jr., for a few days. From there she will continue her journey to Bar Harbor, Maine, where she will attend a house party.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Appuhn and the latter's sister, Miss Mary Lou Ransburgh of Quincy, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Ransburgh and small daughter, Virginia Ann, of Madison, Ill., arrived last week on a visit to their mother, Mrs. Birdie Ransburgh.

Mrs. Willis Chapman honored her house guests, Mrs. Paul O. Huth of Cambridge, Ohio, and Miss Virginia Hunter of Jefferson City, Thursday with a bridge party. A four course breakfast was served at 9:45, after which cards were enjoyed. Miss Margaret Mary Hunter received the trophy for high score.

## TO SEARCH AFRICA FOR ALFALFAS AND FRUITS

Two explorers of the United States Department of Agriculture, H. L. Westover and K. A. Ryerson, are in North Africa looking for wilt-resistant alfalfa and fruits adapted to the United States. They will later continue their exploration in Spain.

Mr. Westover, a forage crop specialist, is now making preliminary surveys in the principal alfalfa-growing districts of Morocco, Algeria, and Tunisia, in order to return to Spain for the first portion of his collection trip. He will return later to these countries to collect the seeds from the harvest which is not yet ready. He made a similar exploration in southwestern Asia, the heart of the alfalfa district, last year, and brought back many varieties of alfalfa now being tested by the department for wilt resistance.

Mr. Ryerson, head of the Office of Foreign Plant Introduction, is looking for varieties of peaches and other fruits that will be of value in this country. He seeks particularly to recover some American varieties of peaches that have disappeared from production in this country after having become established abroad. He originally planned to join Frederic T. Bioletti, professor of viticulture at the University of California, who has been conducting an exploration for grapes and apricots for the United States Department of Agriculture and the university in North Africa. Professor Bioletti's illness has caused some alteration of these plans, so that Mr. Ryerson will have to take charge of the completion of Professor Bioletti's work after the latter has returned to this country. The preliminary work in connection with apricots has been completed, and there remains only the harvest of the seeds and scions. The grape work has not reached so advanced a stage but it is well under way.

Four or five years ago bacterial wilt appeared in the heart of the alfalfa belt and threatened to exterminate this crop. The San Joaquin Valley of California has suffered heavy losses from wilt. Losses in Kansas in 1927-28 amounted to about 15 per cent and for the last three years in Iowa and Missouri to about 25 per cent. In Minnesota, Nebraska, and Missouri wilt has worked hand in hand with crown rot, combining to bring losses up to 50 per cent of the crop. In Colorado it is the most destructive disease of alfalfa, one field suffering loss of 80 per cent of the plants. Wherever prevalent, wilt has done its greatest damage in humid climates and on irrigated lands.

Wm. Cornell, former football coach here, and at present a dental student in St. Louis University, arrived last Thursday and spent a few days here visiting friends.

Misses Florence Crisler and Lucille Sloas entertained a large number of the young society set with a splash party and picnic at the Wash-out Thursday evening.

Mrs. S. A. Berryman and Mrs. R. L. Chesire attended the Methodist Missionary Society meeting at the home of Mrs. J. E. McCord at Lilbourn Thursday afternoon.

The New Madrid ferry, Sporty Days, have started regular twenty-four hour operations, with a boat

leaving New Madrid every hour, both day and night for Kentucky point.

## Gristo Stock and Poultry Foods Will Make Them Grow



Gristo stock and poultry foods contain body building elements that mean health and sturdy growth to your stock and poultry. Thousands of satisfied users will attest to the value of Gristo Feeds in raising healthy stock and fowls. Now is the time to begin feeding them our prepared foods as pasturage has been damaged by the drouth and stock and poultry once in a bad condition is doubly hard to get back to normal.

FOR SALE AT ALL HOME OWNED GROCERIES AND FEED STORES

Manufactured by The Scott County Milling Company

"Every Substantial Product of Grain"

groups to gain scientific control over wild life conditions, according to the American Game Protective Association.

By feeding the birds when snow was on the ground, northern sportsmen kept many birds from starving and in good physical condition for the breeding season. Game is now receiving better protection from enemies and has more chance to rest, feed and raise young. More farmers are letting game foods remain or are planting such foods. The South is giving more practical attention to feeding problems. Sportsmen and interested persons all over the country are making a habit of planting feed when they go hunting, fishing or hiking.

As a result of such protective measures, Pennsylvania reports a 1,000 per cent increase of quail in West Chester County. Illinois observes an abundant increase. Missouri game officials, who took a quail census in every district covered by game wardens, report a big increase. A big increase is reported throughout the south.

Judging by conditions of the past three years, there is much evidence that progress is being made in controlling at least some of the factors which have caused periodical depletion in the numbers of a given game specie.

## NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE UNDER EXECUTION

By virtue and authority of an execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court in and for the County of Scott, returnable to the August, 1930, term of said court, wherein Sturdivant Bank, a banking corporation, is plaintiff and Dan McCoy, Lizzie McCoy and Mary E. McCoy, are defendants, I have levied upon and seized all the right, title and interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate, situate in Scott County, Missouri, and described as follows, to-wit:

"Situate in the County of Scott, State of Missouri, and being a part of the South Half of Section 26, Township 26 North, Range 13 East, being bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the 4 corner between Sections 26 and 35, 26-13, Thence S. 89 degrees 35 minutes W. along the line between Sections 26 and 35, 26-13, a distance of 895.3 feet to the east line of the 43,510 acre tract laid off in the West part of the Southwest Quarter of Section 26, 26-13. Thence North along the East line of the said 43,510 acre tract at 1491.0 feet intersect the South fence line of the Morehouse and Skeston public road. Thence N. 71 degrees 02 minutes E. along the said fence line a distance of 541.0 feet to a point; Thence N. 18 degrees 58 minutes W. a distance of 9.6 feet to a point. Thence N. 71 degrees 03 minutes E. at 1812.7 feet fall on the intersection of the South fence line of the Morehouse and Skeston Public road with the East 1-16 line of Section 26, 26-13. Thence South 0 degrees 04 minutes E. along the said East 1-16 line a distance of 2170.0 feet to a channel iron set for the East 1-16th corner between Sections 26 and 35, 26-13. Thence S. 89 degrees 35 minutes W. along the line between Sections 26 and 35, 26-13 a distance of 1328.8 feet to the place of beginning, containing 91,584 acres. Surveyed during the month of March, 1915, by Benj. L. Parker".

and I will on

FRIDAY, AUGUST 29th, 1930 between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the east door of the Court House in the Town of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the above-named defendants in and to the above described property, to the highest bidder, to satisfy said execution and costs.

Dated at Benton, Missouri, this 7th day of August, 1930.

TOM SCOTT, Sheriff, Scott County, Missouri.

Missouri's supply of deer, which ranges largely through twenty Ozark counties, is doing well in the opinion of Claud Hunt, refuge inspector for the Missouri Game and Fish Department. A good crop of fauns has been noted in most sections although in many places the doe and

fauns have found it necessary to go long distances for water. Estimates of the number of deer now in the State range from 5000 to 10,000 while a few claim an even greater number.

The Skeston Standard \$1.50 per year

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## JOE BRADSHAW WILL PITCH MEMPHIS GAME

According to word received from Manager Tom Malone, Joe Bradshaw, right-hander of International League fame, will be the moundman for Sikeston next Sunday when the locals tie up with the Memphis Frisco Club in a showdown game on the Fairgrounds park diamond.

Malone received word Thursday about noon confirming a tentative agreement to have the big right-hander work for Sikeston as stated in another story in this issue.

"From all indications," said Malone, "we'll need Bradshaw to beat the Memphis Club. A fluke rally in the June 15 game won for us then, but the visitors chalked up in the second meeting and handed us a package".

The arrangement relieves Burrus of the responsibility of starting the game and places this slugger at second base, completing the heavy-weight infield. Malone is trying to get Haman to work first, and has in mind a Michigan infielder, who is visiting the A. C. Scott family this week.

With such bat busters as Bradshaw, Bowman, Burrus, Smetzer, Hudson and possibly Haman on the field Sunday, the locals stand a mighty good chance of sending the Memphis back to Dixie with the short end of the score.

The game is being announced daily over KFSV, Cape Girardeau.

## .24 INCH RAIN RECORDED HERE

Cooler weather and a total of .24 inches of rain the fore part of this week made a slight dent in the drouth and heat record, but brought only slight measure of relief.

The big drop in temperature occurred on Sunday reaching its low mark of 61 degrees Tuesday. The maximum or highest temperature recorded on the twelfth was 75, or thirty-six degrees cooler than the record had reached Friday.

The rain, even though appreciated to the last drop, was insufficient to give material relief to parched fields.

Wednesday's precipitation was recorded locally as .09 and Thursday's rainfall as .16, making a two-day total of nearly a quarter inch.

The water proposition is becoming acute in the hill section of Scott County and elsewhere. Farmers are forced to haul water from natural springs and deep wells for livestock and home use. The question of water supply locally has not been troublesome. Both deep and shallow wells in this vicinity are producing an abundance of good water, and drainage ditches are still carrying sufficient volume to supply the needs of stock.

## LEFTY FUHR BUYS LINE OF OF RADIOS FROM YOUNG'S

Oscar L. "Lefty" Fuhr, known to a host of Sikeston baseball fans as a twirler, completed arrangements Saturday, whereby he will assume full charge of the radio department, formerly controlled by Young's Place. R. C. A. Atwater, Kent and Victor machines were sold by Young's to Mr. Fuhr, who will assume active charge about September 15.

While here, Fuhr arranged to rent the J. P. Whidden home on North Ranney Street. Mrs. Fuhr and an assistant in the radio business, will arrive here about September 1 to take charge of the business. Fuhr will complete his contract with the New Orleans ball team before joining his wife here. A place of business has not been selected.

## R. L. BRYANT, 50, HURT WHEN HIT BY SPEEDING AUTO

R. L. Bryant, 50 years old, living on Highway 60 near Morehouse, was seriously injured last Friday about 11 o'clock, when he was struck by a passing car as he stepped from another machine in front of his home. He suffered a crushed right chest and punctured lung.

Center—Western Telephone Corporation rebuilding local lines.

Reforestation in the United States last year restored to tree growth a total of 111,175 acres, the Forest Service of the United States Department of Agriculture reports. This included the planting of 31,430 acres by 21 States and two Territories, 5,920 acres by municipalities, 25,068 acres by industrial organizations, 539 acres by schools and colleges, and 1516 acres by other organizations. Farmers planted 24,825 acres to wind-breaks and woodlots, and other individuals planted 3650 acres. The Forest Service planted 18,207 acres of land on national forests last year.

## MISS JULIA MARSHALL WEDS WARD BARNES OF COLUMBIA

By Anne Latimer

Charleston, August 14.—A wedding of distinct social interest to people of this city and surrounding cities, was solemnized today at 4:00 p. m. at the beautiful home of Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Marshall, on East Commercial Street, when their daughter, Miss Julia Amma Marshall, was united in marriage to Mr. Ward E. Barnes of Columbia, Mo., the Rev. E. H. Orear, pastor of the First Methodist church of this city, officiating, assisted by the bride's uncle, Rev. J. R. Bullington, of Holcomb, Mo.

A fashionable gathering of close friends and relatives assembled in the reception rooms of the lower floor, which were transformed into a veritable bower of beauty with their adornment of greenery, potted plants and cut flowers.

An improvised altar with an arch, covered with asparagus fern and yellow flowers and a background built of ferns and palms, marked the place of the ceremony in the living room. Tall white floor bases filled with asparagus fern and gladioli of yellow and pink shades, were used on each side of the altar.

Preceding the entrance of the bridal party, nuptial music was rendered by the bride's sister, Miss Mary Taylor Marshall, who played Liebestraum Dream of Love. Just before the ceremony, Mrs. Moore Greer of Sikeston, an aunt of the bride, sang very beautifully, "I Love You Truly" and "Oh, Sweet Mystery of Life", with Miss Marshall as accompanist. Mrs. Greer was attired in a gown of brown chiffon, with applique of brown velvet and with this she wore a hat of brown velvet, and other accessories of matching shade. She wore a wrist bouquet of talisman roses.

Miss Marshall wore a pretty ensemble of brown silk crepe with blouse of egg shell shade and hat of brown velvet. She wore a shoulder corsage of talisman roses.

To the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, played by Miss Marshall, the bridal party couple entered the living room. They were preceded by Master John Vernon Hummel, a cousin of the bride, who served as ring bearer. He was attired in a suit of old ivory shade with brown accessories.

The bride was beautiful in an ensemble of brown transparent velvet, with blouse of French pink satin and suede gloves of the same shades as her blouse. She wore a small brown velvet hat and footwear of harmonizing shade. She carried an arm bouquet of talisman roses.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held, the bride and groom being assisted in receiving by the bride's parents.

An ice course was served. The guests viewed the large and beautiful array of bridal gifts which were displayed on the second floor of the home.

Following the reception, the couple left in their car for Chicago, where they will visit before going on a boat trip to Niagara Falls, N. Y. They will be at home to their friends in Columbia, after September 3.

Mr. Barnes is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Barnes of Chicago. He is a member of department of science at the University of Missouri, where he graduated and is now completing work for a M. A. degree. He is a member of Acacia Fraternity and Phi Delta Kappa.

The bride is a very talented young woman. She graduated this past June from Missouri University, both in Literary and Music. She was a member of Chi Omega Sorority. She is also a graduate of Stephens College and a member of Eta Upsilon Gamma Sorority and Sigma Gamma Gamma there.

Among the out-of-town guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. Paul Barnes and daughter JoAnna of Columbia, Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Bullington and family of Holcomb, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Howlett and Mr. and Mrs. William Maier of Cape Girardeau, Miss Elizabeth Pell of Farmington, Mr. and Mrs. Moore Greer and family of Sikeston, Mrs. H. F. Tricke and daughter, Clara, and Miss Gertrude Melton of Sedalia.

On Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Paul Hummel entertained with a miscellaneous shower in honor of the bride at her home on Cypress street.

Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Moore Greer of Sikeston entertained in honor of the bride and groom, with a six o'clock dinner at the Marshall Hotel in Sikeston.

Wednesday evening, Dr. and Mrs. Marshall entertained with a six o'clock dinner at their home, at which the bridal party and all out-of-town guests were present.

Bridges on Malden-Risco highway, being installed.  
Holt—Construction of school building progressing rapidly.

## CREDITORS TO INVESTIGATE AIRWAYS CO

The creditors of the Mississippi Valley Airways Company held a meeting at the City Hall in Sikeston Tuesday morning. It will be remembered that the Mississippi Valley Airways Co. was organized last December to further the development of airways in Southeast Missouri. Dr. Geo. Huff of Chaffee was elected president of the company. He, with four other people composed the board of directors. The company took over the equipment of the local Boyer Aircraft Company, at the time of its organization. It was capitalized at \$100,000 dollars, \$25,000 common stock and \$75,000 preferred. About \$2000 worth of the preferred stock has been sold to date, and about \$13,000 worth of the common stock has been issued.

It seems as though, from the records and reports, that the company has not been able to meet its obligation. So the creditors have decided to take action and investigate the true condition of the concern.

The meeting was called to order and the reports reviewed. The reports showed little, if anything other than lack of management of the whole affair. The assets of the company are not clear, which means that the listed assets are of only little value. On the other hand, the liabilities of the company amount well up into figures. To date little can be said of the outcome of the affair. However, it looks as tho' the creditors will be left, as usual, holding the empty sack.

The creditors were unable to decide upon a definite program at the meeting the other day. However, they are planning to start an investigation in the detailed workings of the company's officials. The records presented by Dr. Huff, president of the concern, were very poorly kept and leaves many transactions unrecorded. While no action has been taken, some of the creditors, are discussing the investigation of the Blue Sky law in connection with the organization and the stock selling program carried on by Dr. Huff and his friends.

Later developments of the companies condition will be given to the readers of The Standard as soon as possible.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Brenton and daughter, Betty, returned the first of the week from a vacation spent in Salem and other points.

Miss Floy McElroy will return to Cairo Sunday, after a two weeks visit in Sikeston with her parents. She is a student nurse at St. Mary's Hospital.

Mrs. F. P. White and Mr. and Mrs. J. Edgar White of Sikeston, spent Monday in Cairo visiting their sister, Mrs. George Farrin, and Mr. Farrin—Cairo Citizen.

Mrs. James H. Wilbur, Mrs. L. J. Prosser, Jr., and little daughter, Sally, and Miss Mayme Jean Wilbur were guests of Mrs. R. H. Weeks of Cape Girardeau, Wednesday.

Friends of Miss Mayme Jean Wilbur will be interested to know that she is recovering from an attack of conjunctivitis of the eyes. She is now under the treatment of Dr. Yount of Cape Girardeau.

Mrs. C. D. Matthews, Jr., and Mrs. T. A. Wilson drove to Cairo, Ill., Tuesday and visited Mrs. Joe Matthews, who is a patient in the St. Mary's Hospital. Mrs. Matthews expects to return to her home the last of the week.

Mrs. R. E. Putman, who visited her son and family in St. Louis last week, returned home Monday night. Mrs. L. H. Moore of Bushnell, Ill., came with her for a few days' visit. She returned to St. Louis Wednesday, where she will spend a few days before returning to her home in Illinois.

Virginia, Montana, Oregon and Georgia were the more distant States which contributed to the big August Opening of the Chillicothe Business College last week. Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana and New Mexico were also well represented.

The store in the Calf Ribs neighborhood was broke into last night, and several useful articles, including a side of bacon, are missing. The Deputy Constable went to work on the case early in the day, and so far all he has found out is that the burglars didn't leave a clue.—Commercial Appeal.

The feeding of some of the succulent feeds to cows too close to milking time is likely to cause undesirable flavors and odors in the milk says the U. S. Bureau of Dairy Industry. Some of these feeds are: green alfalfa, cabbage, turnips, rape and kale; and silage made from corn, alfalfa, sweetclover or soybeans. It is well not to feed these feeds within a few hours before milking.

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MATTHEWS

Mr. Statler of Oak Ridge visited in Matthews, Monday.

Thos. Gallivan of New Madrid had business in Matthews Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Holderby visited in Malden and Parma, Sunday. Noble Ray of Fredericktown is spending the week with Fred Dunn, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Huette and family are moving to Matthews from Canolau.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Zimmer went to Poplar Bluff Sunday to visit the latter's mother.

Mrs. Gill Brooks and son of the Crowe neighborhood, visited in Matthews, Tuesday.

Mrs. Ruby Yates, who has been attending college in Arkansas, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Byrd.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones of Council Bluffs, Ia., spent Thursday at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Fred Dunn.

Little Misses Ava and Ruby Caruthers of near Sikeston sent the past week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Caruthers.

Mrs. Blanche Sipes of Poplar Bluff will begin a revival at White Oak Monday, August 18. Everybody is urged and invited to attend this meeting.

Miss Bernice Sutton entertained a large number of young folks Saturday evening with a party in honor of Miss Lois Randolph of Farmington. Refreshments consisting of cake and ice cream were served.

Fire of unknown origin completely destroyed the large barn on the farm run by N. Garner, three miles southwest of Matthews at about 9:10 o'clock Tuesday evening. The contents in the barn, consisting of farm implements, hay, corn, soybeans and other things, were completely destroyed. This is surely hard for a farmer to have his crops destroyed by drouth then fire to destroy the remainder of feed, etc.

## DEMPSTERS TO HANDLE FRIGIDAIRE IN DISTRICT

Final arrangements were completed Thursday morning, whereby the Dempster Furniture Co. will in the future handle the line of Frigidaires in the Sikeston District.

Schorle Bros. have acted as agents for this popular line of electric refrigerators for the past two years, but decided to discontinue the line this week. E. F. Schorle explained that he was unable to give his undivided attention to the bakery business while handling Frigidaires and decided to turn the agency into other hands.

George Dempster, junior member of the firm, will leave Monday morning for St. Louis, where he will receive a week's instruction in Frigidaire construction and maintenance, so that any problems arising in the territory served by the Dempster Company, can be handled from the Sikeston office.

Besides Sikeston, the trade territory covered by Dempsters includes Morley, Diehlstadt, Blodgett, Crowder, Morehouse, Vanduser and Bertrand.

## INDUSTRIAL NEWS

Garden City—L. L. McCrab completing golf course south of old livery barn.

Harrisonville—Benson & Henderson received contract recently for installation of distribution system in this city.

Breckenridge—T. M. Parker and force of men painting school building inside and out.

Liberty—Liberty Service & Gas Co. starts laying pipeline for gas to serve this city.

Pilot Knob—New Pilot Knob church edifice being occupied.

Princeton—John Lindsey sold cleaning and pressing establishment to Wm. Heiser.

Bland—Gasconade Golden Cheese Co. opened for business recently under management of Russell Peterson. Excelsior Springs—Plans submitted for landscaping new high school building.

Butler—Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Elliott leased Crystal Hotel on Ohio Street. Ash Grove—New Chandler Store completed.

Fairmount—Maywood Theatre being remodeled and installs talkie equipment.

Seneca—Short's Cash Store opened for business.

Cricket Hicks says he used to have an ambition to become president, but he believes now, since growing older, that he would be satisfied if he could only look as important as a hotel clerk.—Commercial Appeal.

## Local and Personal

Louis Scott is able to be about again after a painful siege of sickness.

Mrs. Lyle Malone returned Wednesday from a three-day trip to St. Louis.

Miss Lillian Rita Derris returned the first of the week from a visit with relatives in St. Louis.

Mesdames Britton and Clint Terrel of Cairo were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Allen, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore Greer and family are now located in the Dunaway property on North Ranney St.

Paul Loebe of Birmingham, Ala., drove in Sunday to join his wife and son, who are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bowman and son of Chicago are visiting Mrs. Bowman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Simler.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Waller of Hot Springs, Ark., are guests of their daughter, Mrs. J. E. Robinson and family.

Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Anthony and daughter and Mrs. Randol Wilson drove to Cape Girardeau Wednesday evening.

Misses Bertha and Ann Klingel, who have been visiting relatives in Edwardsville, Ill., returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. John Fisher entertained Saturday with four tables of bridge, complimenting Mrs. Paul Loebe of Birmingham, Ala.

Miss Addie Louise Downey of Ironton came Monday for a visit with Miss Lois Robinson. She returned to her home, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pitman and son, Harold, are spending several days in Kennett, guests of Mrs. Pitman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Solomon.

Mesdames Earl Johnson, E. J. Malone, Sr., E. J. Malone, Jr., and son, Paul, and Mr. and Mrs. John Malone were visitors to Cape Girardeau, Monday.

Mrs. Moore Greer attended a miscellaneous shower for Miss Julia Amma Marshall at Charleston Wednesday afternoon given by Mrs. Paul Hummel.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Neff of St. Louis are visiting the latter's father, Frank Martin and family, east of Sikeston. Mr. Neff is recuperating from an operation.

Harold Pitman and Lacy Lewis returned last week from New Mexico, where both have been employed for the past year. Harold in Taos, New Mexico, and Lacy in Raton.

The four-month-old child of Wayne Bess is reported to be recovering from an attack of colitis. The youngster has been in serious condition for several days but showed marked improvement Wednesday.

Mrs. John Welter was hostess at the Lotto party at the school house Wednesday afternoon. A very enjoyable time was had by those present. Mesdames Dall Harness, Mary Loebe and Ross Trousdale will be the hostesses for the last party that will be held in the school house, which will be next Wednesday afternoon. The public is cordially invited.

Miss Lois Robinson entertained with bridge Tuesday evening, complimenting her guest, Miss Addie Louise Downey of Ironton. The following enjoyed the evening: Misses Ella Helen Smith, Emily Blanton, Ann Beck, Imogene Albritton and Kendall Sikes, Robert Dempster, Bob Mow, Jr., Herbert Bandy, Ralph Bailey and Louis Walker.

## Weeks Theatre

Dexter, Missouri  
SUNDAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY,  
August 17, 18, 19

Matinee Sunday, 2:30 p. m. Admission 15c and 35c. Nights 7:30 p. m. Admission 15c and 35c

The Monster Fun Show with the world's greatest comedians BERT WHEELER and ROBERT WOOLSEY in "THE CUCKOOS". A thousand gags—and every one a riot—gorgeous girls—nine singing hits, cast of a 1000 singers, dancers and comedians—fun show of the age.

NEWS AND ACT

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY,  
AUGUST 20-21

A romance of courage filmed at the "bottom of the world" with "BYRD AT THE SOUTH POLE". Fight and fly with Byrd! The most exciting adventure ever seen on the screen. Prepare for the most exciting pleasure the screen has ever given you. Where merely to live in an achievement and a real story with a smashing climax. Also 2-reel talking COMEDY. Adm. 15c and 35c

A sensation stirring Fox Movietone drama of Gangland, "BORN RECKLESS" featuring EDMUND LOWE, CATHERINE DALE OWEN, LEE TRACY. Also 2-reel talking COMEDY and SOUND CARTOON.

## JUST PLAYING, LADS HAND NEARLY SEVERED BY AXE

Little Gerald Emmons, 10 years old, son of Mrs. Gertie Emmons of near Canolau and a boy friend were "just playing" Thursday morning, but Gerald's right hand is in a sling. The axe slipped and nearly severed the member.

For lack of a better name, the boys were playing "miss the foot". The rules are simple enough. While one of the youngsters swung an axe, the other tried to withdraw his foot from the chopping block at the exact instant necessary to prevent a major injury. Elders in the family could not see the fun in that game and the boys were induced to play a less hazardous game.

They decided to repair a wagon wheel. Gerald's hand happened to be in the way of the axe, however, as his companion brought the instrument down on a particularly obstinate bit of timber.

Dr. H. M. Kendig stitched leaders and skin together and young Emmons left for Canolau.

## RATE CUT WILL NOT AFFECT LOCAL BUS FARES

According to a report issued by the local Pickwick Greyhound office, the proposed rate cut of from 10 to 25 per cent will affect directly transcontinental and "circle tours", and not local rates between St. Louis and Memphis via Sikeston at this time. No schedule was announced.

A rate cut in local fares is expected soon according to Mr. Shepherd, but no definite date has been set in circulars from the main office in Kansas City.

## CHANGE DISPATCHING TIME OF EVENING MAIL

According to an announcement of the First Assistant Postmaster General, a change in dispatching time of mail becomes effective at the local postoffice August 15. Instead of closing at 9:00 p. m. as has been the case, the office will close at 7:00 p. m.

The human heart makes ten beats per minute fewer when the body is in a lying position than when upright.

Don't miss seeing "Cuckoos", Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, August 17-19. The monster fun show and with "Byrd at the South Pole", Wednesday and Thursday, August 20, 21 at Weeks' Theatre Dexter.

In Australia, among the northern tribes, a man is warned of the approach of his mother-in-law by the sound of a bull-roar, since it is their rule that a man may not speak to, or even look upon the mother of his wife.

The sand table of the very long ago was a simple contrivance, a board covered with fine sand, on which, with their fingers, school children formed their letters. The sand was then prepared for the next lesson with a "smother".

Comets attain a rate of 2000 miles an hour through space.

The largest flower grows in the island of Sumatra, a Dutch possession in the West Indies. The full-grown flower may be eight feet high.

Aunts, uncles, and other friends are more harmful to babies than pins, beads, buttons and other things commonly called "dangerous"; they work their evil by giving young mothers foolish advice. At least, so says an American research organization.

Add market reports—Corn in Ashland is 90 cents a bushel in one form and \$9 a gallon in another, the Bugle reports.

It may be that Ashland's proximity to Columbia and the University has something to do with that \$9.00 per gallon price. Down here we are glad to get \$5.00 per.

FOR RENT—5-room house on corner Ethel and Highway 61.—Mrs. W. A. Calhoun. 2tpd.

FOR RENT—5-room house, modern close to school. Good neighborhood.—Phone 418 or 497.

FOR SALE—Majestic range, electric Victrola, refrigerator, davenport, Turkish rocker, beds, breakfast set. Phone 35.—Mrs. J. H. Yount. 4t. 90-94.

FOR SALE—Cheap, 40 acre fruit and poultry farm, high bottom land, 7 1/2 miles south of Poplar Bluff. Write or see C. C. Amstutz, R. F. D. box 89, Sikeston, Mo. 2tpd.

## MINIATURE



What's on tonight? Why not get out the old favorite putter and dash over to Tanner and Kingshighway corner for a thrilling round on our fine Wee Way Miniature course? Young and old are doing it.... and junior stands a good chance of beating his old man on every match! It'll be a large evening.

Friday night tournament is open

One round of 18 holes costs only 25c. 15c in the morning and afternoon.

GEORGE L. DYE, Mgr.

## WEE WAY GOLF COURSE

# BASEBALL

## RUBBER GAME

# FRISCO MEMPHIS TEAM

VS.

# SIKESTON

# Sunday Afternoon, August 17th

# AT FAIRGROUNDS PARK

GAME 3:00 P. M.

A red hot game is on tap. Each team has won one and lost one. The locals will try to make it two wins for the home team.

Burrus or Bradshaw on the mound for Sikeston.—Meadows for Memphis.

Admission 25c and 50c



# DAIRYING

By Dr. L. D. LeGear, V. S.  
St. Louis, Mo.  
Dr. LeGear is a graduate of Ontario Veterinary College, 1892. Thirty-eight years of veterinary work. Eminent authority on diseases and raising of dairy cows and other livestock and poultry. Nationally known lecturer, writer and author.

## GOOD PASTURES NEED GUARDING

In a country where land is as cheap and as plentiful as it is in the United States it is not surprising perhaps that we have not become the pasture experts our brothers claim to be on the other side of the water.

In Holland, for instance, land is worth anywhere from \$500 to \$1,000 an acre. To make that land profitable for pasturing requires no little skill especially where you have to pay in rental each year as much as land sells for in many sections of the United States. The sod has been pastured for centuries. The Hollanders nurse it and protect it as carefully as we protect our most important crops.

To show you the difference between good pasture land and poor pasturing in this country, an ordinary cow can get along very well on 2 1-2 acres of Kentucky or Canadian blue grass, or any other good permanent grazing ground. On the other hand it takes from 10 to 20 acres of our wild western ranges or unimproved prairie land to support the same cow.

One rule is never violated by careful pasture owners, that of allowing the cattle to go onto the grass too early in the spring. The grass must be allowed to get a good start before it is called upon to withstand the sharp hoofs of the cow. It is also very injurious to the sod to allow pasturing during the winter or the late fall when the ground is apt to be wet and soggy.

It is a little difficult to fix exact dates at which cows should go onto the pasture because of the different climatic conditions in various parts of the country. As a general rule, pastures are ready in the southern States about the middle of March. April 1st is a safe day for the ma-

jority of pastures in northern Oklahoma, southern Missouri, Kentucky, Tennessee and States in the same latitude. From April 20th to May 5 takes in the north central States such as Nebraska and Iowa. Across the northern section of the United States it is frequently advisable to delay pasturing until the latter part of May or first of June.

One way to test the efficiency of your pasture is to see whether it is able to furnish sufficient feed thru the normal grazing season. If your pasture gives out too early it may be that you are using it too soon in the spring.

These are minor points perhaps, but dairy animals should not be required to travel a long distance in order to secure their food. Therefore, it is highly desirable to have the pasture near the barn. Also, that it have a sufficient supply of good drinking water in it or near it.

Another mistake many farmers make is to shut off the feeding of the cows in the spring. That is a good way to cut down on their production because grass in the spring is mostly water. It cannot possibly contain enough of the necessary food value to maintain the normal diet of the producing cow. Therefore, you should continue the feeding of grain and hay or silage. As a matter of fact, even the best pasture is not a sufficient diet for dairy cows any time of the year. If your herd is producing twenty-five pounds (pints) of milk daily per cow on grass, you should feed about one pound of grain to every six or seven pounds of milk. A cow that is producing forty pounds of milk daily should have its pasturage supplemented by one pound of grain to each four or five pounds of milk.

This subject of feeding is so important in connection with the volume of milk secured from the herd that I feel too much emphasis cannot be placed upon it. The poorest economy in the world is to save money on feeding. Your cows will produce in direct proportion to the amount of correct feeding.

### THIS WEEK IN MO. HISTORY

Floyd C. Shoemaker  
When the first Mormons came to Missouri from Ohio and other States in the East, they had as their purpose the founding of an ecclesiastical kingdom. They were inspired by

what Joseph Smith, their prophet, told them was a revelation from heaven, directing them to go to "land of Missouri" and build a temple, where the gathering of Zion would be held. Jackson county, in which was situated the designated site of the temple, thus became the seat of a Mormon colony.

Differences soon arose between the original settlers and the newcomers in Jackson county. The principal factor in these differences, doubtless, was religion. The Mormons were particularly zealous, which added to their troubles. Other factors which appear to have contributed to the animosity that soon developed were the slavery question and possible social incompatibility. The Missourians, most of them, were southerners, while the Mormons were from the North and East. The Missourians, many of them, at least, owned slaves; and the Mormons were supposed to be enemies of that practice.

At any rate, the Mormons were driven from Jackson county. They fled into Clay, across the Missouri river, and here found a certain degree of welcome. Some went into other counties. But the problem was not solved. In 1836, largely due to the efforts of Alexander W. Doniphan, Caldwell county was created and designated the Mormons' home. Into it most of them moved, principally from Clay and Ray counties.

But the Mormons tended to "overflow" into other counties, and the "Gentiles," as the "Saints" called the non-Mormons, flared up again. So it happened that, ninety-two years ago this week, in a fight at Gallatin, in Daviess county, the Mormon war was renewed. The strife was finally to result in the expulsion of the sect from the boundaries of the State.

It was August 6, 1838—election day. The Mormons of Daviess county, living principally at Adam-ondi-Ahman—the little city to which they believed "Adam shall come to visit his people"—had heard rumors that "the mob," as they called their enemies, was preparing to prevent their voting. They determined, nevertheless, to go to Gallatin and assert their rights. They were a zealous people, courageous and resolute in the opposition of any attempt at discrimination because of their religion.

At Gallatin, Joseph Smith wrote, there was speechmaking against the Mormons, and a fight broke out. According to the prophet's account, "the mob bully, just drunk enough for the occasion, began a discussion with Brother Samuel Brown by saying 'The Mormons were not allowed to vote in Clay County, no more than the d—negroes, and attempted to strike Brown.'"

"Perry Durphy attempted to suppress the difficulty....when five or six of the mobbers seized Durphy and commenced beating him with clubs, boards, etc., and crying 'kill him, kill him,——him, kill him!'"

Major Joseph H. McGee, who witnessed the fight that ensued, wrote: "I had witnessed many knock downs in my time, but none on so grand a scale. Pistols were not used. Rocks and clubs were in demand, and an occasional butcher knife slipped in. Men dropped on all sides."

"I saw one poor Mormon trying to make his escape from two Missourians who were pursuing him. He had a butcher knife sticking between his shoulders....Another Mormon...seized a big club...and dealt them such blows that he felled them both to the earth and allowed the Mormon....to escape."

The Missourians won the fight, but the Mormons clung to their cause. The region was turned into two armed camps. Then came the battle of Crooked Creek and—to climax the bloody chapter—Haun's Mill massacre, both in Caldwell county. Governor Boggs, following the Crooked Creek fight, demanded the extermination or expulsion of the Mormons. Shortly after the Haun's Mill massacre, in which eighteen Saints were slain, their leaders surrendered at Far West and they began to move out of Missouri.

When making apple jelly flavor a few glasses with mint and add green coloring. This will be appetizing to serve with lamb.

Patent leather that will not crack, shoes that rival snake and lizard skins in beauty, coats as soft as silk and very strong—all these can be worked up from shark hide.

So many families these days are forbidden fried meat that different ways of preparing chickens are very welcome. Prepare a young chicken as for frying, salt lightly and fry until light brown in drippings. Melt three tablespoons butter in a saucepan, add one-half cup vinegar, one teaspoon mustard, one teaspoon sugar, a dash of cayenne and tabasco mixed, salt and pepper. Let all come to a boil, pour over chicken and bake in a moderate oven until tender and lightly browned.

## NEWS ITEMS FROM MOREHOUSE VICINITY

Herman Boyer of Sikeston was a Morehouse visitor, Monday.

Wm. Crumpecker was a business visitor of New Madrid, Monday.

Dick Baynes of New Madrid was a business visitor of Morehouse Tuesday.

Mrs. J. M. Himmelberger visited with friends in Cape Girardeau Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Medley of Sikeston were Morehouse visitors Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Williams are the proud parents of a daughter born August 11.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Montgomery of Waterloo, Ia., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Boone.

Louise Newton, who has been in St. Louis for the past two months, spent the week-end in Morehouse.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Deneke and children left Saturday for an extended visit with relatives at Gordonville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dillion attended the show in Sikeston Sunday evening, the picture being Bert Wheeler in "The Cuckoos".

Lilbourn Headlee, accompanied by Miss Gertrude Crumpecker and Mrs. B. Crumpecker of Canolou, spent Sunday at Big Springs.

Mrs. Geo. McFarling, who has been visiting relatives in St. Louis and Cairo for the past two months, returned home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Underhill and children of Malden were the guests of Mrs. Underhill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Saville, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Spence, Jr., and son, Tim, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Wofford of Cape Girardeau, enjoyed an outing at Big Springs, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Headlee and family left Monday for a two weeks' vacation in different parts of Kentucky. They will visit the Mammoth Cave before their return.

Miss Melba Usrey, who has been visiting relatives in Karmack, Ill., for the past month, returned Sunday and was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Ritchie, who were guests of the former's aunt, Mrs. J. D. Mercer, Sunday. They returned to their home Sunday evening.

## REMARKABLES THIS CASE WON BY NEW KONJOLA

Joplin Lady Suffered for Years and Spent Hundreds of Dollars—New Medicine Brought Quick Relief.



MRS. CHARLES STURGES

"I can truthfully say that I had not seen a well day for ten years before taking Konjola," said Mrs. Chas. Sturges, 401 Hill Street, Joplin. I underwent two operations and became a victim of constipation and stomach trouble. I could only eat liquid foods and often these would not be digested and I was subjected to vomiting spells. I had frightful pains across my back and night rising was frequent. Rheumatism then settled in my arms, hands, and feet, and I was unable to walk for about half of the time.

"I have not spent a day in bed since I began taking Konjola. My feet, hands, and arms have not swelled a bit and I can now eat solid foods. I have gained in weight and I feel like a different person. After spending hundreds of dollars and suffering for ten years I have finally found a medicine that went to the source of my ailments and restored my health."

Konjola is recommended for ailments of the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels and rheumatism, neuritis and nervousness.

Konjola is sold in Sikeston at the Derris Drug Store and by all the best druggists in all towns throughout this entire section.

## AN ABANDONED RAIL LINE BRINGS \$17,000

Cape Girardeau, August 12.—A sale of steel on the old Cape Girardeau Northern Railroad between Jackson and Perryville was authorized in common pleas court today in an order issued by Judge O. A. Knehan. Under terms of the order George W. Cross of this city, receiver for the road, will sell the steel to the highest bidder, the Sonken Jalamba Corporation of Kansas City for \$17,000. The line has been out of use for a number of years.

Whenever you use gasoline for cleansing purposes pour the refuse down the sink. The gasoline will cut the grease deposits wonderfully. Pour boiling water down immediately following the gasoline bath.

A Hindu in the Punjab cannot be legally married a third time, and when, therefore, he wants a third wife, he is married to a certain tree, so that when he does actually take another wife she counts as his fourth.

## WRECK VICTIM TO UNDERGO OPERATION

Walker Bell Chaney, driver of a grocery truck which figured in a Pickwick-Greyhound wreck south of Sikeston last December, was moved to Cairo hospital Wednesday morning for another operation, according to Bill Carson, owner of the truck driven by Chaney.

Frost forming on the windshield and a heavy fog was blamed by the bus company employees for the rear end collision about 8:30 o'clock, December 28, 1929. Chaney was seriously hurt in the accident and was confined to a hospital for many weeks. Carson stated that about two inches of the lad's jawbone would be removed to prevent additional infection.

A damage suit instituted by Carson against the Pickwick-Greyhound Co., was transferred Monday on a change of venue from the Scott County Circuit Court to Judge W. S. C. Walker's court at Bloomfield. The case was set originally for August 19 at Benton, and will now be held during the December term in Stoddard County. A similar change of venue was granted the company in the case of Lois Hahn vs. Pickwick-Greyhound Lines. Miss Hahn was run down several months ago and slightly injured while crossing New Madrid street.

## MISSISSIPPI'S FIRST BALE OF 1930 COTTON GINNED

Charleston, August 12.—Mississippi County's first bale of 1930 cotton was ginned Monday at East Prairie by the Roberts Cotton Company, weighing 549 pounds lint. This carries a \$25 premium. The cotton was produced on Mount Level Plantation, property of Central States Life Insurance Co. by Claude Green and Roy Woods, tenants. It was Gaages 86-pound variety. The cotton in seed weighed 1670 pounds.

Jasper—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kaufman purchased Tiller Cafe.

## THE NEWLYWEDS SAID



"...and THAT is our new HOME"

"When we decided to buy a home of our own, right away, we scanned the real estate offerings in the Twice-a-Week Sikeston Standard Want-Ad section...after selecting a list of tentative 'buys' we made the round until we discovered the one and only home for us, and THAT is our new HOME."

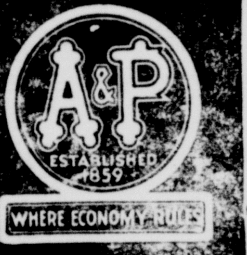
We urge the folks who do not OWN THEIR OWN HOMES to turn to the classified section of this newspaper and carefully read the list of unusual offers that are now being made... YOUR last excuse for not being a home owner will be knocked galley west.

## WANT-AD

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Salad Dressing 2 1/2 CANS 25¢

STANDARD SLICED

Pineapple No. 2 1/2 25¢

QUAKER MAID

Beans . . 3 CANS 25¢

BEAN HOLE

Beans . . 2 CANS 25¢

Sauerkraut 2 NO. 2 1/2 CANS 25¢

Pure Lard 2 LB. 27¢

Sugar Cured

Bacon lb. 26¢

Sugar Cured

Hams lb. 28¢

Smoked

CALLIES, lb. 22¢

Smoked

JOWLS, lb. 19¢

CAMEL AND LUCKY STRIKE

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2 PKGS. 25¢

P & G Soap 7 BARS 25¢

Lux Flakes 3 1/2 25¢

Jap Rose Soap 3 CANS 25¢

Northern Tissue 3 ROLLS 25¢

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## LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM BLODGETT

Isaac Marshall has been sick the past few days.

Lester Graham of St. Louis visited his parents this week.

Mrs. Duke has as her house guest her sister and children of Hickman, Ky.

Mrs. J. T. Huey and son, O. F. Anderson are in St. Louis this week visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stubbs and son, Thad, were in Cape Girardeau last Thursday on business.

Miss Wanda Brasher of Paducah, Ky., is visiting at the home of her uncle, Brooks Brasher and family.

Mrs. Eliza Lemons has as her house guests this week her granddaughter and sister from Houston, Texas.

Mrs. James Peal and daughter, Louise, returned home Sunday, after a month's visit in St. Louis with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Marshall and family have returned from St. Louis, where they have spent the past two months.

Miss Martha Harrison of Benton and Miss Margaret Pellet of Illinois were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Jester, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Holmes and

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GALLOWAY'S DRUG STORE

son, Harold, are visiting at the W. W. Lemons home this week.

Mrs. Wm. McBride and daughter left Friday for their home in Spokane, Wash. They have been visiting relatives the past month.

Mrs. W. H. Allen of Memphis, Tenn., and Mrs. Halley Smith and children of Elvins, Mo., are visiting Mrs. Wm. Scarbrough this week.

John Fred Nunnelee, Fred Wyatt, Woodrow Graham and Isaac Marshall returned Tuesday from Jefferson Barracks, where they have been for the past month.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Bailey entertained Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stubbs and family for 12 o'clock dinner. In the afternoon the Woman's Club met and gave a farewell party for Mrs. Stubbs, who is moving to Cape Girardeau.

Announcements were received from Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Marshall last week of the marriage of their daughter, Lessie, to Dr. H. B. Bradburn of Lincoln, Ill. They were married at Winchester, Ill., December 23, 1929. Dr. and Mrs. Bradburn will be at home at Lincoln, after August 10, where Dr. Bradburn will practice medicine.

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM NEW MADRID

Portageville shoplifters were given fast justice Tuesday morning in Justice S. F. Swilley's court, when Corrine Lacy and Clarence Perkins, both negroes, began serving a six-month sentence each in the New Madrid County jail on a charge of shoplifting, within an hour after committing the act. The couple visited the Max Feinstein store and after Perkins looked at some trousers, he decided they weren't the kind he wanted, so they departed, and then went to the Jonah DeLisle store and Perkins again wanted to purchase some trousers. While Perkins was being shown the trousers, Mrs. Cora Wells, a saleslady in the store, noticed a dress hanger swinging near the Lacy girl, and upon investigation, she discovered that a dress was missing and saw a portion of it in a bag in the possession of the girl. Marshal Adams was immediately summoned, and the girl was searched and besides the dress, a skirt was also found in her possession, together with a pair of slippers, which were identified as belonging in the Feinstein store. Prosecuting Attorney J. Val Baker happened to be in town at the time and a trial was immediately called, with neither of the defendants denying the charge, so both were sentenced to six months in jail. The loot was valued at slightly less than \$30.

H. Mays of near Henderson Mounds was raided Monday and a quantity of home brew was destroyed as well as about 12 gallons of whiskey. A still and fourteen barrels of mash were destroyed a short ways from the Mays' home, but the still was not in operation and no one was found on the scene. Mays, however is in jail unable to fill bond for possession of intoxicating liquor, and will be given a preliminary hearing before Justice Smith, Wednesday.

Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock from the Catholic church for Mrs. Emma I. Robbins, 73 years of age, who died Sunday at the Robbins' farm, near Marston. Mrs. Robbins, who was a LeSieur before her marriage to Jas. Robbins, was born and reared in this county, and is related to many of its prominent citizens. She was known as a good wife and mother and loved by all who knew her. Fr. Thos. Flannigan presided over the services at the church, after which interment was made in the Evergreen Cemetery. Mrs. Robbins leaves to mourn her demise, two sons, J. K. and Felix, and three daughters, Mrs. Wm. O'Bannon, Mrs. Myra Pharris and Mrs. Susie Conran, all of New Madrid.

John Wheeler spent the week-end with his parents in Hickman, Ky.

Miss Peggy Reeves of Portageville is the guest of Miss Libba Hunter.

Joe Wiley spent the week-end with friends in Hickman, Ky., and Ridgely, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Tucker Sloas of the Marston neighborhood were New Madrid visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Dan McCoy of Puxico is spending the week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bock.

Frank Petty, T. C. Wilson and "Doc" Chapel attended the Malone theatre in Sikeston Monday evening.

Guy Haskins of Malden looked after his interests in the King Cotton Gin here Saturday and also visited friends.

Lloyd Raidt, left Sunday for St. Louis, after a week's visit here with his mother, Mrs. B. M. Raidt and brother Willett.

Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Warlick, of the government fleet, No. 8, spent

the week-end in Humboldt, Tenn., with the former's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wall of Armadilla, Ark., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chesire, at the home of Mrs. S. A. Berryman.

Jack Kent of Jackson, Tenn., arrived Tuesday and will spend a few days here with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McCord and family.

John Bowers and Miss Elizabeth Estham of Hickman, Ky., spent Sunday here, the guests of the latter's brother, Harmon Estham, of the government fleet.

Miss Mary Hunter, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Hal Hunter and grandmother, Mrs. Jackson, motored to Charleston Monday, where Miss Mary remained for a few days visit with Miss Dorothy Drinkwater.

The motor boat "And How III", racing from New Orleans to St. Louis in an effort to beat the record made by Dr. Leroy in the "Bogie", was seen by several New Madrid people, when it passed here at 7:30 Sunday evening.

## MODERNIZATION WILL RELIEVE HOUSING SITUATION, SAYS REALTOR

"The Home Modernizing Movement as promoted by The Standard is bound to be an important factor in relieving the housing situation in Sikeston", asserted C. F. Bruton. "Good rentable houses are always in demand but the average renter is not in the market for old time obsolete looking houses. He wants something that is up to date".

"The owner who will take an old looking house and modernize it with new lines and up to date fixtures will find that he has a first class rentable proposition. I have on my list right now a number of good tenements which would gladly move into a modern home if they could find one. The lack of first class housing is hurting the city and also the landlords."

"Drive around the city as I am doing every day and you will see a number of old timers standing idle, eating their heads off as the saying is, because they are unrentable. If the owners of these houses will spend the necessary to modernize the building and make it up to date, they will find that the modernized dwelling will be literally snapped up by renters. They will keep their property rented month after month instead of standing idle for long stretches of time and then often rented to undesirable tenants who are careless and destructive."

"Another important factor in modernization which must be considered is the saleability of the modernized home. Whereas the house with old lines and out of date fixtures is hard to sell, the modernized residence will move on a slow market. It pays to modernize."

Mr. Bruton is a hearty booster for modernization and endorses warmly the movement as sponsored by The Standard. His wide experience in real estate and housing problems enables him to speak with authority.

## TWIN HEAVENS

The deepest eyes, the bluest cheer—  
Those eyes that look me through,  
Those eyes that shed a happy tear—  
That speaks the heart and soul of you!  
The eyes that none is naught to claim,  
That thrusts themselves in me!  
Those eyes from whence the blue skies came,  
As errant jewels of the sea.  
Your eyes are as the setting sun  
When tears benar their glee—  
That glows the red of peace begun  
For tomorrow, for you, for me!  
—James Huls, Jr.,

When men and women of different races intermarry what is the inheritance? An effort to find out specifically how racial mixture affects bodily and mental energy is to be made by Dr. H. L. Shapiro of Harvard University. Hawaii has been chosen for the investigation, in view of its large assortment of the white, yellow and brown races, and the resulting intermarriages. The investigations will cover several years.

FOR RENT—Rooms at 228 Trotter Street.—Mrs. J. W. Wilkins.

FOR RENT—Five-room house, modern.—W. T. Walker, 837 Park Ave.

FOR SALE or TRADE—All household furniture for 4 rooms, rugs, etc. Call at Standard office.

FOR RENT—Modern apartment on first floor at the E. J. Keith home on North Ranney. Phone 236.

STRAYED—In Matthews neighborhood, one steer, weight about 650 lbs. Reward.—C. F. McMullin Estate. 90-w tf.

FOR RENT—My home, 930 North Ranney. Rent reasonable to desirable tenant.—J. P. Whidden, Jonesboro, Ark. 86-tf.

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MATTHEWS

D. A. Chiles is still very ill at this writing.

Mrs. Thos. Holderby had business in New Madrid Thursday.

Mrs. Joe Caruthers and children shopped in Sikeston Saturday.

Ralph and Kenneth Gurley are visiting with relatives in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Zimmer motored to Advance Sunday to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Forest and children visited relatives in Sikeston Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Elderbrooks attended church in Canalou Thursday evening.

Miss Mildred Nelson of Canalou spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Deane.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams and little daughter shopped in Sikeston, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Englehart and little son shopped in Sikeston Saturday evening.

Lester King and Paul Revelle returned Saturday from a short trip to Memphis, Tenn.

Ernest Jones of Detroit, Mich., is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jones.

Miss Genevieve Dickerman of the Crowe neighborhood, spent Sunday with Miss Helen Waters.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Koehel of Canalou visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Elderbrooks, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lumsden and son, Herbert, of Canalou spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lumsden.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hunott and little son of near Morehouse visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hunott, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Mitchell and daughter, Miss Hazel, of Hayti spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Deane.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stroud and children returned Sunday from a two weeks' camping trip through the Ozarks and a short visit in Evansville, Ind., with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. King returned Saturday from Tennessee. They were accompanied home by their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Roy King and family.

Mrs. Brit McGee and little daughter, Helen, attended church at the Crowe Arbor in Crowe District, last week. Mrs. McGee has been pianist for the revival at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Holderby and William Roberts returned last week. Mr. and Mrs. Holderby have been visiting in Urbana, Ill., while Mr. Roberts visited relatives in Harrisburg, Ill.

Mrs. Gertrude Thobald and daughter, Miss Helen, returned to their home in St. Louis, Saturday, after a few weeks visit here with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gossett and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Weatherford. Master Dorris Gossett accompanied them home for a visit.

Relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Critchlow and Miss Glenda Waters are receiving cards and letters of their wonderful trip and time they're having on their tour of the west. Last news received, they were enroute to Holyoke, Colo., to visit Mr. Critchlow's sister, Mrs. Roy Crosby.

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM CHARLESTON

Miss Goldie Edwards is visiting relatives in Cairo.

Mrs. R. C. Walton has returned from a visit in St. Louis.

Carl Trickey of St. Louis was a visitor in this city, Monday.

Miss Louise Guthrie and Ernest Brown spent Sunday in Memphis.

Mrs. A. E. O'Hara of Chicago is the guest of her mother, Mrs. G. Faust.

Mrs. Ella Deal and daughter, Mrs. Mary Barbee, spent Monday in Paducah, Ky.

Betty Lee McCutchen of Blytheville, Ark., and Ethel Dark of St. Louis are guests of Miss Jean Dark.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Burroughs, Mrs. Bess Mulkey and daughters have returned from a week-end visit in St. Louis.

Mrs. Garrett Elkins and sons left Tuesday for Carbondale, Ill., where they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cook.

Mrs. Harry Rice of Crutchfield, Kansas and Mrs. H. Walton of Sikeston were guests Monday at the home of Mrs. Ramsey Walton.

Miss Anna Mulford of East St. Louis, who is the guest of Mrs. Chas. Trickey, has returned from a week-end stay in Cape Girardeau.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Allen and little

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<b>Fast Color Prints</b> 36 inches wide, shirting patterns in tan, blue and green. Very good for boy's blouses. Special <b>15c</b>	<b>Soisette</b> One of the best materials for school clothes; 32 inches wide, fast colors, beautiful patterns and finish. <b>39c</b>

daughter, who have been guests of Mrs. G. W. Fowlkes, returned Monday to their home in St. Louis.

Miss Lillian Roberts of this city and Mrs. Moore Greer of Sikeston were guests Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Harry Collier, near Bertrand.

Mrs. C. C. Durkee and daughter, Miss Dorothy, of Augusta, Kan., were visitors in this city Saturday, enroute home from a motor trip thru the East.

Mesdames Jeff Lynn and Vera Day of St. Louis and Mrs. Eunice Baunerman of Jackson, Tenn., were the week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roach Taylor.

The Royal Ambassadors of the Central Baptist church met Monday evening at the home of James Atterberry. The host served as leader of the program for the evening, the subject being "Khama Good Soldier of Christ". Those taking part were: Charles Edwards, Douglas Hequem-bourg, Jesse and Marshall Stone and

Jack Bastin. Light refreshments were served. The Counselor, Mrs. Minnie Edwards, was present with the members and visitors.

Sedalia—Cities Service Company awarded contract to Henry L. Lemon, Inc., to lay 12-inch gas line from Ottawa, Kansas to this place.

Brookfield—New soda fountain installed at Thompson Drug Co.

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## MUST HAVE RIGHT-OF-WAY BEFORE HIGHWAY PROJECTS CAN BE SPEEDED UP

C. D. Matthews, Chairman of the State Highway Commission reiterated Thursday morning the statement released by the Commission Tuesday at Jefferson City, when he stated that right-of-way for farm-to-market and other roads must be made available before projects could be speeded up. The Commission head had reference specifically to the plan of releasing road contracts approximating the expenditure of about \$4,600,000 so as to give work to unemployed.

The Commission in a prepared statement Tuesday announced its willingness to expedite construction of State Highways this year to provide work for persons who are unemployed because of drouth conditions, but declared co-operation by the counties would be necessary in obtaining right-of-way for roads, lack of which is holding up about \$4,600,000 in proposed construction.

"At the present time plans have been prepared for approximately \$2,000,000 worth of work which has been held up for some time because rights-of-way could not be obtained", said the commission. "In addition to this, the commission now has before it the construction of the farm-to-market system, and it has available for this work not yet under contract about \$2,600,000. The commission is very anxious that this work be put under contract this year, but we find that trouble is being experienced in securing right-of-way".

In this immediate vicinity the placing under contract of approximately 20 miles of primary highway between Benton and Sikeston, on August 22 is expected to give employment to a large number of workers.

According to a survey made by the Highway Department nearly fifty per cent of all persons now engaged in construction work on the State system are drafted from localities in which the projects are under construction. The number is approximately 7500.

District Chambers of Commerce, especially in the north central section of Missouri have petitioned the Commission to speed up the road program to alleviate unemployment situation. The Northeast Missouri group with headquarters in Louisiana, Mo., recently urged the Highway Commission to spend during 1930 and '31 about \$15,000,00 provided for farm-to-market roads provided for in the \$75,000,000 road bond issue, instead of waiting until 1934 as provided in the bond issue amendment. It is pointed out that work provided farmers in road building at this time would be of great benefit in relieving the stringency due to loss of crops.

Gov. Henry S. Caulfield is now in Washington to attend President Hoover's conference of Governors of the drouth-stricken States. He will ask that Missouri's annual share of Federal aid for road construction, \$3,900,000 this year, be made available September 1, instead of January 1 next, the time now stipulated.

According to a letter prepared by T. H. Cutler, chief engineer of the Highway Commission, contracts to be let August 22 will exhaust the Federal money now available.

Under the present arrangement, no more money from this source would be furnished until the beginning of 1931.

"If Missouri's share of the money could be made available September 1", Caulfield said, "it would give temporary employment to many farmers whose crops have suffered, and it would be of permanent benefit by hastening completion of the State highway system. The situation is serious, but I am convinced that the farmers of Missouri do not desire charity, but wish to earn a living".

The Governor said it had been suggested that the Highway Commission might further speed road construction by letting contracts beyond those which have been contemplated for this year's program.

He anticipated that the conference, to be attended by 12 or more Governors, would discuss proposals for direct loans to farmers by the Federal Farm Board. Such loans were made after the Mississippi floods of 1927, he pointed out.

Caulfield took with him reports and estimates showing the present drouth to be the most destructive on record in Missouri. Southeast Missouri has suffered most, he said, and a water famine is now threatened in

ties now need aid, he said, and continuation of the drouth will increase this number.

Baked chicken and fried chicken dinner and supper Sunday at Sheppard's Cafe.

The Chillicothe Business College placed another stenographer Monday with the Stone and Webster Engineering Corporation which is now building the big Bagnell Dam. Four other C. B. C. grads are employed in the same offices.

## 23 STATES LISTED AS VERY DRY IN DROUTH STORY

A graphic map of the Nation's drouth lists no less than twenty-three midwestern and eastern States as "very dry". Included in the list are North and South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, Iowa, Missouri, Arkansas, a section of Louisiana and Mississippi, Arkansas, Missouri, Illinois, Michigan, Indiana, Kentucky, Tennessee, Ohio, West

Virginia, Pennsylvania, New York, New Jersey, Delaware and Maryland. Light rains seem to have been the favored lot of a few States in a few southern States, and in the extreme New England States. Minnesota and Wisconsin are reported in the favored belt. Only five States in the extreme southeastern tip have had ample rains.

Baked chicken and fried chicken dinner and supper Sunday at Sheppard's Cafe.

## FORMER CHAFFEE FAMILY NOW IN KANSAS IS WIPED OUT WHEN FOUR ARE KILLED

Chaffee, August 13.—Investigation is being conducted into the four-way tragedy in which Albert Watkins, until a year ago a resident of this place, Monday slew his 3 children, set fire to his residence and then committed suicide, the four bodies being burned in the family residence at

Kingsley, Kan. A telegram of the tragedy was received here Tuesday by Ed Miller, brother of Mrs. Watkins, who was employed at a restaurant at the time the killings occurred and who escaped the tragedy.

According to information received here Watkins had killed his three children: Arline, 9; Margaret, 6, and Albert 2, had purchased a five gallon can of gasoline with which he soaked the bodies, after placing them in the attic. He is said to have shot and killed himself after firing the residence.

Relatives here were unable to explain the act of Watkins. According to their best knowledge he had not been involved in any sort of trouble. For about six years he was a salesman for the Paige-Jewett automobile agency here, and was married to Miss Neva Miller, being affiliated with her father, Charles Miller, in the Miller-Watkins Garage here. He was born and reared in the Oran community, coming here from there from there several years ago. Since being in Kansas he had been employed as an automobile mechanic. His father and brother reside in Oran.—Cape Missourian.

## SCOTT WOMAN GETS 2 YEARS

Benton, August 13.—Lillian Goodwin pleaded guilty to forgery in Scott County Circuit Court here Monday and was sentenced by Judge Frank Kelly to two years in the State penitentiary. She was accused of forging the name of a man at Chaffee to a check.

Jeff Groves pleaded guilty to a charge of burglary and larceny in connection with the burglarizing of a mercantile establishment at Blodgett a year ago and was sentenced by Judge Kelly to serve four years in the penitentiary, but was paroled. Two other youths from Sikeston who pleaded guilty to complicity in burglarizing the store, were sentenced at the last term of court, but also were paroled.

Richard Holmes and Geo. Washington, negroes, charged with carrying concealed weapons, pleaded guilty, and were sentenced to serve 60 days in jail. They were released, having spent 30 days in the Scott County jail at Benton with a warning that the remainder of the sentence would be imposed should they be brought to court on future charges.

Vernon York pleaded guilty to a charge of forgery and was sentenced to two years in the State reformatory at Booneville. He was a resident of Sikeston. He forged a check on the Buckner-Ragsdale Store Co. at Sikeston, according to the charge.

Rudy Moore, who was fined \$300 at the last term of court on a previous charge, was ordered jailed for a period of 60 days for non-payment of fine.

The case of Elmer Meystedt of Cape Girardeau, charging driving an automobile while intoxicated, was continued by Prosecuting Attorney M. E. Montgomery to the next term of court as some of the witnesses in the case are now in encampment with the National Guard. Meystedt's charge grew out of an automobile wreck on the Chaffee-Ansell road south of Cape Girardeau several weeks ago, after which occupants of an automobile alleged to have been struck by Meystedt's car, filed an affidavit outlining the charges on which the prosecuting attorney acted.—Cape Missourian.

## TYPOGRAPHICAL ERROR GIVES SIKESTON TEMPERATURE 192

No less than twenty-five calls, "serious" and otherwise, were received this week following the publication last Tuesday of a detailed summary of the heat wave which credited July 6 with a temperature of 192 degrees. The reading should have been 102, and those who have clipped the front-page story "for keeps" can make the correction. Weathermen believe the present drouth and heat record will stand for many years, so that in years to come a detailed record kept by individuals will provide an accurate check on what the weather is doing, say in the year 2000.

Farmington—Carver's Cafe installed complete set of new fixtures.

## The Buckner Ragsdale Co.'s FINAL CLEARANCE OF DRESSES



### STARTING FRIDAY, AUG. 15th

Our remaining stock of summer dresses must be sold at once to make room for Fall merchandise. It's thrifty to buy at these low prices . . . the savings are the greatest of the season.

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In this group you will find our smartest summer frocks and silk ensembles . . . dozens to choose from . . . georgettes, flat crepes, chiffons and other summer materials in styles that were smartest for summer . . . imagine the luxury of having a frock you can wear anywhere at the inexpensive price of two for \$15.00.

Group 2

# \$3

The smart values this group offers are seldom duplicated . . . think of buying frocks of lovely crepes, chiffons and georgette materials at such a low price. There are dozens of clever styles to select from.

Group 3

# \$1

Here are smart values indeed . . . cleverly styled frocks of good quality materials that formerly sold up to \$16.75 are included . . . buy several of these for "fill-in" frocks.

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C. L. BLANTON, EDITOR

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August 12, 1930.The Sikeston Standard,  
Sikeston, Mo.,

Dear Editor:

I would like to know if you could  
give me any information about my  
son, Theodore Rye, who married a  
girl named Irene Wilson from East  
Prairie, Mo.I heard they inherited the estate  
of a banker named Stalup.I heard there was a write-up about  
this in your paper. Please send me  
a copy, also the name of the United  
States detective who lives in Sikes-  
ton.

Yours,

O. H. RYE.

Theodore Rye married Irene, sec-  
ond daughter of Ed Wilson, a farm-  
er living near East Prairie, Mo., and  
the couple are now visiting at the  
Wilson home. Rye worked with a  
road building outfit near Kansas City  
for a while, then came to East  
Prairie. The couple has inherited no  
fortune from anyone.—Editor.German and Russian scientists  
have been studying the brain of Len-  
in, the Bolshevik leader, and in the  
third layer of the gray matter found  
"pyramidal cells of large size as  
never observed before". Wonder if  
they could find any gray matter in a  
tumble bug teaser.We notice where Mrs. John F.  
Swift, wife of a St. Louis printer,  
had been robbed of \$10,000 worth of  
diamonds while on a visit to Chicago.  
Hope the Missus will leave her dia-  
monds at home next time she visits  
the city.Ice is being delivered to a club on  
the 68th floor of an office building. A  
little more activity on the part of  
structural engineers, coupled with a  
step or two in advance in aerial nav-  
igation, and it will be easier to bring  
refrigerants down from the snow  
line than up from the pavement.

## ...Lair Store News...

"That Interesting Store"

Furniture—Radio—Undertaking

Our 32nd Year in Charleston

Mr. C. L. Blanton,

Editor Standard, Sikeston, Mo.

Dear Mr. Blanton:

Please say to your readers for us this week that our Birthday Party sales so far have been very satisfactory—in fact, they have exceeded expectations and as the "party" proceeds, interest seems to grow. When one considers the prices we have hung on our merchandise this is not at all surprising. This goes to show that in spite of crop disasters there is yet a good deal of ready cash in Southeast Missouri which may be coaxed into circulation by putting out super values and improved service—both of which are uppermost in this event. Visitors from this and adjoining counties have been numerous. Many of them made purchases and those who did, received a lot for their money. So many inquiries have been made for more of our "specials" that we are extending the closing date of the "party" till Saturday, August 23rd, and on next Tuesday morning we will put on sale an entirely new lot of "Dollar Day" items. These, in our opinion, will beat anything offered heretofore and will be entirely different in every respect.

If any fail to get circular giving details, take our word for it and be here anyway. We guarantee no regrets. In addition to these new offerings, the store will be full of equally good things in stoves, floor coverings, living room suites and so on. By adding a small per cent to the low cash prices to pay for service, one may pay by week or month on any bill worth while.

Yours truly,

THE LAIR COMPANY.

CONDITION MISSOURI  
COTTON AUGUST 14, 1930

Jefferson City, August 14.—The August condition of Missouri cotton crop is 64 per cent of normal, indicating a yield of 200 pounds per acre on 365,000 acres, or a total of 153,000 bales, according to the latest report of E. A. Logan of the United States Bureau of Agricultural Economics and Jewell Mayes of the Missouri State Board of Agriculture. Cotton has been generally well cultivated; stands are good and bolls safe to date per plant are more than at this time last year. However, plants are smaller than usual but are blooming to the top.

Fully grown bolls will be found sooner than in recent years, and the first open bolls should be quite general in late August as weather is forcing cotton to open. Shedding was becoming quite general at the beginning of August. Missouri cotton is best in Pemiscot and Mississippi Counties, fair in New Madrid, Dunklin and Butler, but conditions are unfavorable in Howell, Ripley, Scott and Stoddard.

The United States cotton crop is 62.2 per cent normal, indicating a yield of 155.3 pounds, or 14,362,000 bales against 14,828,000 bales ginned in 1929. Cotton prospects are much better than the general average in the South Atlantic States, but Tennessee, Mississippi, Texas and Oklahoma are close to the general average, whereas Arkansas has probably the poorest prospect of any cotton State, somewhat closely followed by Louisiana. Ginnings have been 77,956 bales August 1, compared to 86,944 for 1929 and 88,761 for 1928.

## FOR A RURAL POLICE FORCE

Missouri farmers can have police protection by 1931 if they really want it and go after it. But that will be the only way. Members of the Legislature who actively supported the measure introduced in 1929 assert that there was a total lack of enthusiasm. City representatives were indifferent or inclined to be against the proposition because of opposition from union labor. Rural representatives who should be un-animously and aggressively for creation of a rural police force were lukewarm. Most of them contended there is no necessity for highway patrol or rural police protection. No necessity with fatal accidents on the highways, almost a daily occurrence? No necessity when thousands of dollars worth of farm property is being stolen every night.

We believe that creation of a force which not only will have authority to patrol the highways but can safeguard rural property and is empowered to arrest criminals is an absolute necessity for the well-being of this State.

We are going to fight for the enactment of such a law. But if you do not fight with us, it cannot be won. Refuse to support men for State offices who will not help us in gaining an arm of the law which will protect rural life and property. Get this fact straight: If you want protection bad enough to ask for it, you can get it. If you don't ask for it and don't get it, who is to blame?—Missouri Ruralist.

## A FAIRBANKS FIASCO

The behavior of Douglas Fairbanks when confronted by three nervous and adolescent robbers may disappoint those of his public who expect a movie swashbuckler to be as dashing in the face of genuine danger as he is against rehearsed perils. Mr. Fairbanks has starred on the screen as the man who simply cannot be outnumbered. His white-toothed grin flashing like a beacon, he holds off whole battalions at sword's point, catapults himself from balconies and pinions at least four foemen in his fall, hurls household utensils and lays prostrate entire roomfuls of enemies. Yet, faced in his home by three robbers, one shakily holding a pistol, Doug meekly agreed to go upstairs and get his pocketbook. Tame-ly he descended the stairs one at a time instead of making his customary flying leap, gathering a robber under each arm and tripping the third with a prehensile foot. Handing his purse to the uninvited guests, Fairbanks watched them leave by the front door. All this was rotten scenario technique, of course, but it rated high as common horse sense.—Post-Dispatch.

South Carolina's \$60,000,000 road building program has brought work to 900 men.

When a native of Central Africa believes that he is possessed of a ghost he goes to his local medicine man and asks him to expel it. One method the medicine men have of doing this is to prepare an appetizing meal, hoping that the food will tempt the ghost to leave the body of the man.

DROUTH RELIEF PLAN  
OF FARM BOARD MAN

Washington, Aug. 12.—Returning to Washington today for a conference on the widespread drouth with President Hoover, Secretary of Agriculture Hyde said, "We want to do everything we can to help the farmers". He has been in mid-Western States, where the situation has been described as alarming. He said there was no doubt it was serious, but added that "conditions were spotted".

Hyde said if rain came some late corn would be saved and that some early corn would be grown on bottom lands in the affected States.

Hyde said that on the suggestion of President Hoover questionnaires would be sent to county farm agents immediately, asking them for detailed surveys on both the actual damage and the suffering caused by dry weather and intense heat.

The questionnaires will inquire as to the number of families who will need aid in order to carry their livestock through the winter, whether there is feed available either in the county where the distress is felt or in some nearby county.

Suggestions also will be asked from the agents on measures necessary to mitigate actual distress and to enable the farmers to carry a normal supply of livestock, particularly foundation stock, through the winter.

Hyde said banks and individuals in the drouth areas should give temporary aid wherever needed and should persuade the farmer to hold his livestock.

The President was told by C. E. Huff, president of the Farmers' National Grain Corporation, that the drouth would result in wiping out the large wheat surplus and permit the farmers to start next year in better shape. Huff and S. H. Thompson, president of the Farm Bureau Federation, discussed farm conditions at length with the President.

Despite scattered rains, Weather Bureau officials said today there had been no relief from the drouth, and that the forecast for tonight and tomorrow was not encouraging.

Carl Williams, Farm Board member representing cotton, outlined today a plan by which the board may be able to extend aid to drouth-stricken farmers through the grain stabilization corporation.

"If existing seed distribution agencies or other business men and farmers in any stricken community, county, district or State", he said, "will form under the laws of their own State a responsible corporation which will guarantee the payment of notes to be given by individual farmers, a plan probably can be quickly developed whereby the grain stabilization corporation can sell seed grains of any kind in car lots at market prices on easy payments of one or two years."

"The local organizations would arrange for local distribution of the seed thus supplied and see to the collection of the farmers' notes when due. It would make no profit on its services and would make proper arrangements for the payment of freight."

Williams said the grain stabilization corporation board agency has plenty of grain and can buy more to replace that sold for feed.

Assurance reached the President from the railroads that they would co-operate in any measures determined on by the administration to get feed and cattle together.

## THE BRIMMING CUP

Yet, upon this eternal hill  
Your hand is grasped in mine,  
We watch with night and all is still—  
And flows the sweet, the peaceful wine—

The wine of life we sup at ease,  
Sup and bless at the close of day,  
The wine we made but to appease  
That hunger, that lust, not be washed away.

Upon this hill your bright eyes gleam  
Your hand is warm with love;  
We've washed aclear all sign of dream

And left our plights to Him above.  
You've dried away the tears gone by  
Come, sup this peaceful glass with me;  
That breeze that dries your dampened eye  
—Jas. Huls.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Frank Compas to Scott County Building & Loan Association, 1 acre in Kelso, \$250.

Cape Land & Investment Co. to Phoenix Realty Co., land 36-29-12, \$1.

Southeast Missouri Trust Co. to Phoenix Realty Co., land 21-26-14, \$1.

Mrs. H. E. Barks, heirs to P. J. Geisner, land 18-28-13, \$200.

Chaffee Building & Loan Association to J. F. Keller, lots 21, 22 block 9 Chaffee, \$1.

## PIGGLY WIGGLY

## "THE MODERN WAY"

GREEN PEPPER, each .....3c  
Green Beans, 2 lbs. ....25c  
CELERY, 2 stalks .....15c  
RHUBARB, lb. ....15c  
FRESH PEACHES, lb. ....10c

CARROTS, per bunch .....4c  
BEETS, per bunch .....4c  
GREEN PEAS, lb. ....12½c  
LEMONS, per doz. ....39c  
HEAD LETTUCE, lb. ....20c



"Good to  
the last drop"  
1 lb. cans .....38c  
3 lb. cans .....\$1.14



Small Pkgs.  
3 for 20c  
Large Pkgs.  
2 for 21c

H. & K. Coffee, lb. can.....38c  
PEABERRY COFFEE,  
1 lb. package .....25c  
Campbell's Pork & Beans,  
3 for .....22c

Swans Down Cake Flour.....29c  
HOLY HILL PEAS,  
No. 2 cans .....11c  
Campbell's Soups, all kinds,  
3 for .....22c

Domino Pure Cane sugar, 10 lb. cloth bag .....55c  
Domino Pure Cane Sugar, 25 lb. cloth bag .....\$1.33

P. & G. SOAP, 3 bars.....10c

LUX TOILET SOAP, 3 bar.....20c



Canova Peanut  
Butter  
1 pound jar  
27c

Corn med. tin, 3 for .....22c  
Chum Salmon, 2 cans .....30c  
Hominy, lg. cans, 3 for .....23c

## MARKET

PORK ROAST .....23c  
PORK CHOPS .....25c  
PORK SAUSAGE, pure ....18c  
PURE HOG LARD .....12½c  
DRY SALT SIDE .....19c  
DRY SALT CHUNK .....13c

BEEF ROAST, .....21c  
HAMBURGER .....18c  
STEW MEAT .....16c  
CALLIES, Hockless .....22c  
Sugar Cured Bacon,  
½ or whole .....25c

CRITICISES FORD FOR SELLING  
IRISH-MADE TRACTORS IN U. S.

Boston, Aug. 12.—Henry Ford today was criticised by Mathew Woll, third vice-president of the American Federation of Labor, for manufacturing tractors in Ireland and importing them into this country. Woll spoke before the State Convention of the American Federation of Labor.

"American capital", he said, "is invested abroad not to elevate the standards of the workers, but to exploit the cheap labor and the assets of Europe and Asia and place our own people in competition with them."

"Henry Ford is lauded as a great industrialist whose policy is to let the people who can manufacture the cheapest supply the world. We may look with apprehension upon such a philosophy with reference to the future welfare of America."

"Today he is not manufacturing a single tractor in America. They are all made in Dublin, Ireland, and imported into the United States. If that be American patriotism, let America beware!"

Roscoe Gilbreath and George Dye to Kansas City Joint Stock Land Bank, land 10-62-14, \$2000.

L. O. Rodas to Mary Roth, land in survey 1109, lot 5, part lots 1, 2 blk. 5 Applegate 1st addition Sikeston, \$1.

Cape Land & Investment Co. to Southeast Missouri Trust Co.: 296.845a 2-27-13; 68.82a 3-2-13; 74.46a 3-27-13; 291a 3-27-13; 133.15a 3-27-13; 16.30a 3-27-13; 39.16a 4-27-14; 7.44a 4-27-13; .06a 4-27-13; 3.45a 7-27-13; 60.232a 7-27-13, \$1.—Benton Democrat.

The matter of variety and contrast in the texture and flavor of the foods combined in one meal is not always given sufficient thought. Serve something crunchy like toast or browned crumbs on a scalloped dish, something soft, as a white sauce or custard, something crisp and fresh, like lettuce or cold slaw, to given variety in texture. For variety in flavor some foods should be bland or mild, like potatoes or bread; some should have a pronounced flavor, as in the case of rare steak, roast lamb, ham, or cheese, or some of the vegetables such as cauliflower, cabbage, onions, green peppers.

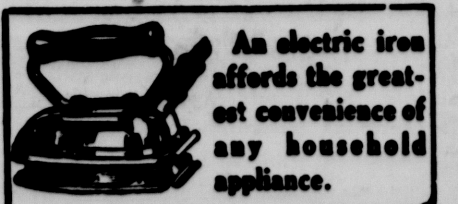
There should also be something sour in itself, like tomato or pickles, or like spinach or beets, something that is ordinarily served with vinegar, or a salad with French dressing. Sweet flavor is usually provided in the dessert, or it may be introduced elsewhere, as in candied sweet potatoes, or as jelly with meat. The five food groups should also be represented—vegetables and fruit, cereal or starchy foods, efficient protein foods, fats and sugars. The relative proportions of foods chosen from these

groups should supply sufficient protein of the right kind, calories, minerals and vitamins.

ICE FOUND IN 172-FOOT  
WELL IN SOUTH DAKOTA

Rapid City, S. D., August 11.—A natural ice well, 172 feet underground from which ice can be cut in hottest weather, is occasioning much interest here. The well is at the gypsum plaster mill at Black Hawk. In digging for gypsum at the plant, workmen sunk a shaft at the end of which a large hole was excavated in taking out gypsum. This filled with water to a depth of 8 feet which freezes in summer.

The Standard \$1.50 per year.

A Dependable and  
Far Reaching Service

A few years ago our mortuary services were practically limited to the bounds of our own city. Not so today. Our modern motor equipment extended the scope of our services to distant points as well as to the surrounding territory. We are prepared, night or day, to render prompt and efficient service to those in distress. Phones: Day—17 Night—111

## Albritton Undertaking Co.

Phones: Day 17. Night 111



## County Agent Renner Gives Timely Tips To Our Farmers

In an effort to be of service to the people of the county, and give out information that will help provide food for man and beast following the worst drouth that has visited some sections in 100 years or more, the Democrat has asked County Agent Renner for some material that will apply should there be rainfall within the next week or so.

It certainly behooves the people to raise all they can to eat for themselves and also for their stock.

### Hay and Pasture

Mr. Renner says "If it rains within the next few days there will be time enough to plant millet or sudan grass for pasture or hay. Sudan can be planted later than millet and will make good pasture thirty days after planting, provided sufficient moisture is present in the soil."

### Silos in the Hills

The farmers in the hill sections of the county may turn their corn fodder into silage by using a trench silo. This is being used extensively in the north and no doubt will work satisfactorily on land that it well drained—so no seepage water will enter the silo.

Dig a trench 6x6 or 8x8 feet and as long as necessary. Take the excavated dirt and pile up on the sides to make the silo deeper. Put cut corn fodder in the trench and pack down with horses or a tractor. When the trench silo is filled, mound up with the cut corn fodder about three feet above the ground level. Then cover

with wet straw about one foot deep and allow to settle. Later the silo is covered with straw, dirt and boards. Anyone interested in a trench silo should see County Agent A. J. Renner who has plans for this method of saving feed.

### Fall Gardens

Many vegetables can be planted as late as September 15th. Mustard, radish, lettuce, turnips and spinach are included in this list. Beets and bunch beans may be planted if it rains within the next week.

### Save Old Corn For Seed

Seed corn will be scarce in 1937. It will pay farmers who have good 1929 corn to select their seed from that lot and save it until next spring. Select your desirable seed, then have it tested before planting. That is the only method to use in telling how your seed will germinate. Poor seed always means poor stands, while good seed lessens the possibility of having to replant.

### This Is Mighty Important

The Democrat feels that the above recommendations by County Agent Renner are very important and farmers should heed them by planting all the deepest eyes, the bluest cheer—for the stock.

Times will be mighty hard this winter and everything that can be provided from the farm or garden helps just that much, and the Democrat is mighty glad to pass along this information to its readers.—Benton Democrat.

## MEMPHIS FRISCO CLUB HERE SUNDAY IN LAST OF THREE-GAME SERIES

With a win and a loss each, the Memphis Frisco Club and Sikeston will cross bats in the rubber game of the series Sunday afternoon at Fairgrounds Park. Game will be called at 3:00 o'clock sharp.

The locals rallied in the ninth inning of their first encounter with the Memphians and won three to two, after trailing through eight innings. Fish of Cape Girardeau started on the mound for Sikeston, but was sent to the showers in the fourth, replaced by Burrus. Meadows pitched for the Frisco Club.

In the second game, July 13, the visitors trounced Malone's men five to four in a seven-inning game. The home boys managed to collect eight safeties during the afternoon, but

failed to make good their chances and lost to the visitors who happened to find Eddie Kerns, Cardinal moundsman, on an off day.

The game Sunday promises plenty of action. Malone is making an effort to secure Bradshaw of Memphis, formerly with Newark of the International League for the mound position. If he is not available, Burrus will pitch.

Malone will be forced to load the team for the game Sunday because the National Guard encampment still claims the attention of several players. A dark horse first sacker is slated for that position, shoving Smetzer to his old position at third. Hudson will be at short. Gore, Schuh, Dowdy, Bowman and Kindred will complete the lineup.

### GUM MACHINE THIEF GETS THREE MONTHS

Robbing a gum vending machine in the Sikeston Missouri Pacific Station Sunday night brought a three-month sentence to Wilbur McAlhane, alias Frank Brown, 19, of Ft. Wayne, Ind., and points at large, when the youth pleaded guilty in Circuit Court Tuesday morning.

Baked chicken and fried chicken dinner and supper Sunday at Shepard's Cafe.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. J. H. Held is on the sick list, suffering from high blood pressure.

Charles E. Dover and family have arrived from Tampa, Fla., where they have been living for several years, and will make their home in Sikeston. Mr. Dover has had considerable trouble with his eyes and expects to enter a St. Louis hospital for treatment.

### BAPTIST CHURCH TO START MISSION SCHOOL IN FRISCO

According to Rev. A. C. Rudloff the first meeting scheduled by the Mission Sunday School will be held Thursday night at 7:45 o'clock in the Swaim building in Frisco.

The matter of starting a Mission School in Sikeston has been under advisement by the Philadelphia Brotherhood of the Baptist church for some time. Final arrangements were completed this week, and the church school is to be formally opened next week.

Lyle Malone went to St. Louis on business Thursday.

Miss Mary A. Purcell, daughter of Mrs. Nellye Purcell has re-enrolled at the Chillicothe Business College for a review of her work in the Complete Course of business training. Miss Purcell was a student at the Business College two years ago.

## AS I SEE IT

By I'm About Town

Apples and small gifts have been used to influence some teachers to give pupils "better marks" in school. The Chicago school marm who married an 18-year-old pupil reversed the situation and married the pupil.

Now she must spend a day in jail and pay a \$300 fine because a Judge held that she "took unfair advantage" by misstating her age. She is 23.

The young husband might have reminded the said jurist that one never looks a gift horse in the mouth.

A husband at any odds, the lady in question might have sassed back.

At any rate, they should be happy as soon as the judge gets his \$300. The pupil-teacher attitude should be an advantage of some sort.

We may be spoiling our chances of ever acquiring one of these 100 per cent worldbeaters, but we are of the opinion that Miss Lucy is full of heap much hokum, in the words of Chief You Said It.

Miss Lucy M. Alexander, home economics expert of the U. S. Dept. of Ag. says "if the 1930 bride can't beat her mother-in-law at cooking, she is a fizzle."

"The bride of today ought to be a 50 per cent better cook than her mother or mother-in-law, for she has better tools to work with, better materials and more knowledge about how to prepare a meal."

That "ought to be" is the joker. And then, too, after eating a bridge luncheon and mid-afternoon highball and wafers what 1930 bride wants to be bothered with steaks and biscuits?

## RETURNED CHECK FORGER GETS 2 YEARS

A rush which carried him past his jailer Wednesday morning at the County holdover resulted in the recapture later that day of Vernon York, 19, confessed and sentenced check forger.

In July, 1929, York forged a check for \$28 and cashed it at the local Buckner-Ragsdale Store Co. The check was drafted on Clarence York, an uncle, living near here. A warrant charging the young man with the deed was issued upon complaint of George Lough, manager of the clothing firm, and the trial was set for this week Thursday, August 15.

York changed his mind about standing trial the first of this week and pleaded guilty before Judge Frank Kelly in Circuit Court who meted out a two-year sentence in the State prison at Jefferson City. He staged a rush past one of Tom Scott's helpers while the latter was bringing breakfast to the inmates of the County jail. A deputy sheriff, Lee, captured the young man about three miles from Benton.

The forger and his brother, Albert, 22 years old, left for Oklahoma soon after their escapade here last year. They returned July 12 last, in a car alleged to have been stolen. Albert was returned to Oklahoma recently to face charges of auto theft in that State.

### CHRISTIAN CHURCH TO HOLD SERVICES SUNDAY

H. Lee Jacobs of Kennett will preach at the morning and evening services at the Christian church Sunday. The time of worship is set for 10:45 in the morning and 7:30 in the evening.

### BAPTIST CHURCH

All services Sunday will begin at the regular hour. The pastor will speak on "Temptations" at the 11 o'clock service.

A study series of the gospel of John will be started next Wednesday night at the church. Everyone is invited to attend.

### BREAKS HAND IN FALL

Herman Bandy, assistant to his father in selling Pierce Petroleum products in and near Sikeston, is carrying a broken right hand in a sling. Bandy had the misfortune to break two bones in his most useful hand Tuesday evening, when he tried to break the force of a fall with his right arm.

### A Little Lost Motion

A contributor to the People's Column in a metropolitan daily cannot see consistency in one branch of government urging smaller crops and others spending millions on drainage districts and building dams for irrigating purposes in order to transform waste places into farm lands. It does look a little like "chewing up terbacker and spitting" out their juices.—Columbia Tribune.

## ASSIGN NEW NUMBERS TO SCOUT TROOPS

With the organization of the Southeast Missouri Area Council Boy Scouts of America it has become necessary to remember the troops of the Districts. In the past there have been several troops of the same number in different communities and hence it would be impossible to designate the troops by number alone. For instance, there is a Troop 1 in each of several towns.

The system which has been used in assigning the new numbers has been to set aside certain blocks of numbers for each District as follows:

Nos. 1 to 30—Cape Girardeau District.  
Nos. 31 to 40—Charleston District.  
Nos. 41 to 60—Sikeston District.  
61 or above—Poplar Bluff District.  
Troops in the districts with their old and new numbers are given below:

Troop	City	New No.
1	Charleston	31
111	Charleston	33
1	Anniston	35
1	East Prairie	36
Sikeston District—		
1	Sikeston	41
1	New Madrid	47
1	Blodgett	46
1	Dexter	51
1	Risco	52
1	Parma	53
Poplar Bluff District—		
1	Poplar Bluff	61
111	Poplar Bluff	63
1	Piedmont	71
1	Ellsinore	72
1	Neelyville	73
1	Doniphan	74
1	Winona	75
1	Greenville	76

It will be noted that most troops have received new numbers under the system of assigning arbitrarily certain blocks of numerals to each district.

The number for any troop will be thus distinctive, indicating the District in which the troop is located. Also there will be no duplication of numbers within the Area.

## BLAST PART OF NO. 60 FOR NEW LEVEE

Traffic was temporarily routed around a five hundred-foot gap in Highway 60 just east of Wyatt Wednesday and Thursday this week, while contractors on the setback levee job blasted the 500-foot section and completed the ramp over which traffic will eventually be routed.

The levee which Army Engineers hope will assist in checking the Mississippi when the Cairo "fuse plug" is opened to relieve pressure, crosses the State road near the Wyatt railroad tracks. About five miles of Highway 60 will be flooded in case the river is allowed to use the giant auxiliary channel.

An eight hundred-foot detour or by-pass is being used while the mound is being thrown up across the road.

The contractors on the levee job will gravel the ramp and traffic will be routed over the levee and along concrete on the other side as formerly.

Never buy anything that you do not need just because it is cheap. The fact you do not need it takes it out of the "bargain" class immediately.

Hog raisers in 37 States have produced a total of 4159 official ton litters since the project was started in Indiana in 1922, according to the United States Department of Agriculture. Pennsylvania leads the States with a production of 549 litters weighing a ton or more at 180 days of age. Indiana is second with a total of 500 litters, followed by Illinois with 479, Tennessee with 415, Ohio with 336, and Minnesota with 314.

The soybean was introduced into the United States as early as 1804, but only in the last 10 years have we really begun to appreciate it. Production is now reaching commercial proportions, according to the United States Department of Agriculture. The crop has many things in its favor. It produces a large yield of beans and an excellent forage. It is easy to grow and to harvest. The beans have great possibilities in the production of oil, meal, and human food and industrial products. Soybean production will continue to increase as we find better methods and machinery for handling the crop and still more uses for the soybean and its products for industrial purposes.



## Beware of Strangers

"Just as good" is the catch phrase of substitution

Strange names may be appearing on the shelves and counters where you shop. With no reputation of their own—they set up their articles in competition with products which you know. With no established quality of their own—they intrude among the articles which have proved their quality to Southeast Missourians.

## Demand the Credentials of Everything You Buy

Know who represents it to the retailer, who stands in back of it. Know that it is sold through your local wholesaler for he is the one most responsible for the well being of your food supply.

## You Need Take No Chances With Fox, Radio, Golden Drip Brands

They are packed by and for your local wholesaler who in turn sells to the local home owned store which keeps in our local radius all possible money from each dollar spent for food in Southeast Missouri.

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Drive up to our station and toot your horn; we will welcome the opportunity to serve you. Feel at liberty to come

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### ISLAND 1700 FEET HIGH SINKS AFTER ERUPTION

Batavia, Java, August 9.—The island of Anak Krakatau, or, translated into English, Child of Krakatau, which yesterday had a height of 1700 feet, today disappeared beneath the surface of the sea during intense activity of nearby Krakatau, which is throwing out fountains of fire.

Krakatau is a small island of the Malay Archipelago in Sunda Strait, between Sumatra and Java. From May to August, 1883, there occurred probably the most tremendous volcanic eruptions of modern times, by which two-thirds of the island was completely blown away. A gigantic wave was formed, by which 20,000 people perished, the wave being noticeable as far away as the English Channel.

It is nice to paste pictures of the dish on the reserve side of the recipe card whenever possible. Then you are not apt to forget the suggestions for garnishing.

### HASKELL INDIANS FOR NIGHT GAME IN CAPE

The famous Haskell Indians football team will be in Cape Girardeau for a game the evening of October 17, the first night game ever played in Southeast Missouri. This will be a great game as the Haskell Indians always have an outstanding team.

Work underway on road leading north from Maysville towards Fairport.

If your sewing machine has been closed for any length of time, it will probably need a thorough going over. Wipe and dust it carefully, fill your oil can with kerosene, oil every part and run it vigorously without thread until well loosened up. Then oil with good quality of machine oil and go over all the parts again. Wipe and clean carefully, stitch on scraps until the thread is perfectly clean, and as a final precaution, tie a bit of wool on the presser foot above the needle to prevent any oil from running down on the work.

### FALL TERM TEACHERS COLLEGE OPENS SEPT. 16

Cape Girardeau.—The fall term of the Southeast Missouri State Teachers College will open for Freshmen registration at 8 a. m. September 16. Students above the Freshman class will register on Wednesday, September 17. Recitations will begin on Thursday.

Indications point to a large enrollment this fall for the regular term and also for the special ten-weeks' course for teachers of cotton vacation schools which will begin September 22. Several additional instructors will be employed for this special short course.

Catalogs can be secured by writing to President Joseph A. Serena for the regular term and for the special ten weeks course.

An English act of 1650, placed a fine on profane swearing; grading the penalties according to class. A lord could swear once for \$7.50, whereas an "inferior person" was only fined some 80c.



## SKESTON STANDARD

C. L. BLANTON, EDITOR

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## DEMOCRATIC TICKET

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Wm. S. Smith  
Constable Richland Twp.  
Brown Jewell  
Committeeman Richland Twp.  
N. E. Fuchs  
Mary R. Roth

## REPUBLICAN TICKET

Circuit Clerk  
Cecil C. Reed

The Red Cross officials in this city will have plenty of free work to do this fall and winter to assist those in need. Food, clothes and fuel for the family and food for stock will be in demand. The Red Cross will need your co-operation and if called upon, individuals should investigate cases seeking assistance. In the past the Red Cross has been imposed upon and the call will likely be so great this time that each and every case should be investigated before supplies are issued. Mr. Brenton, the chairman, is liberal and sympathetic, but he will only be the agent of those who contribute to the fund, so must account for moneys expended. Do your duty by helping him do his duty.

There will be little danger of anyone starving to death in the United States, but a great many will likely be on short rations. Fuel to keep fires going will be a troublesome proposition as it takes money to buy wood and coal. Begin now to get ready for the chilly winds of November.

Otis Fahrenkopf expected to put out a fall bean crop so carried home the seed beans to await a shower. Wednesday morning was the time and he had the place, but no beans. His wife thought the bean seed were to cook, so proceeded to boil them. It was all right, though, as he had a mess of beans and the seed store got to sell him the second bag of beans.

The State Crippled Children's Service conducted three clinics in Southeast Missouri during the month of July. The first was held at Kennett in Dunklin County on July 10, and was sponsored by the County Health Unit. 31 children were examined and recommendations made for further treatment. On July 11, a similar clinic was held at New Madrid in New Madrid County and was also sponsored by the Health Unit of that county. 41 children were examined. The third clinic was held on July 12, at Marble Hill in Bollinger County, and was arranged by the Rev. W. M. Griffin of Patton, Mo. 21 children came for examination. A total of 93 were examined at the three clinics. Unfortunately the funds for maintenance of the State Crippled Children's Service at Columbia are not sufficient to allow the admission of a large number of patients and it has been necessary to reduce the number in the hospital because of diminishing funds. In spite of this fact increasing demands are being made upon the State Service for the admission of children. As a result, patients with deformities that do not require a long time residence in the hospital are being given preference on admission, so that the greatest possible number of children may receive benefit.

## Farmers and the Tariff

There has long been a tariff on eggs, yet they sold for 18 cents here lately, that is, that's what the farmer got for them. Last Monday, but-terfat was quoted at 27 cents here and creamery butter was selling for twice that at some local stores. And now there's a tariff on butter, but most farmers sell the butterfat and not the butter, so the tariff benefits the butter factories rather than the farmer, while the user—all the people—pay the tribute or tax. Hogs and cattle, as usual, are selling on the hoof at about one-fourth or one-fifth whatw e pay for them as dressed meat.

It is impossible to make any but a fool farmer believe a tariff benefits him when he sees his stuff going for so small a part of what it brings when the ultimate consumer buys it. There is no reason for such a difference between what the farmer gets and what the consumer pays except that the cost of manufacture is too high for this efficient age of industry.

or somebody is getting a helluva profit at the expense of the farmer and the consumer both.—Dexter Statesman.

With all the precincts reported in the recent primary, James F. Fulbright, of Doniphan, former Congressman, won the Democratic nomination for Congress in the 14th district by 1695 votes over Orville Zimmerman, of Kennett. The vote was: Fulbright, 15,730; Zimmerman, 14,035. Mr. Zimmerman wrote Mr. Fulbright a letter of congratulations last week and pledged his support to the nominee and entire ticket in the November election.

Thirty-five women and children were injured in Memphis, Monday, when a balcony crashed during a "bargain sale". No men were present.

A good sign to place at railroad crossings for the autoists: "He who stops and looks each way, may live to stop some other day".

## The Failing Signs of Rain

The chap who first said that all signs fail in dry weather started something that just cannot stop. The saying has a basis of painful truth. It simply means that when we are afflicted with a real drouth, the signs that ordinarily are dependable become meaningless. We should like to give heartening credence to the theory that the "crowing" of robins noted by Mrs. James Mayne White means that "dey's gonna be a lot o' rain", as the old negro weather prophets had it; but even with the coincidence of crowing robins and aching feet, we still must discount rain signs.

The moon, now verging on fullness, has been a "wet moon" since it appeared as a crescent nights ago. There have been evenings when flies have bitten viciously, a sure sign, some say, with conditions normal. Several times since the hot, dry weather has beset us, the sounds of distant trains have been uncommonly distinct, another augury that has failed. So, while there is little encouragement in the old rain signs, there is the assurance that the break is sure to come, signs or no signs.

Even with our patience, our nerves and our reputations as prophets sadly impaired, we may recall with some comfort the answer of the cautious politician who made it a rule not to commit himself positively on anything. When asked whether he tho't it would rain, he said he could not tell, but he thought so. "It always has, you know"—K. C. Star.

On a grave stone in Princess Anne County, Virginia, carries the following epitaph: "Here lies the body of Henry Moore, who got in the way of a 44".—Believe It Or Not.

The Standard is neither the biggest nor the best paper in the land, but just an ordinary country sheet. The editor cusses and discusses most of the things of interest to the community and is willing for the community to either cuss or discuss him. It will be all right.

The vine-growing south of France is said to have prevailed upon the Minister of Education to revise school books in which pupils are urged to drink water. There can be no doubt about the soundness of the doctrine of prohibition. The sole difficulty resides in deciding what should be prohibited: for America it is wine, and for France it is water.

With school but two weeks off, mothers are now looking over clothing and footwear of their children. When unpacking the winter clothing, lay aside all articles that have heretofore been discarded and hold for calls later on. All underwear, old clothes, worn shoes and bedding that can be spared, should be tied up, marked and held in reserve. Hardly a home in the city but what can make up a package that will be a God send to some person this fall and winter who will have no money to purchase needed articles. Will you do this?

If the proposed plan to raise letter postage from two to two-and-a-half cents goes into effect, the consequences will be far-reaching. Stamps are perishable things, and the letter-writer is entitled to buy them one at a time. A half-cent would be a cluttering and impossible coin, and the alternative appears to be the provision of a two-and-a-half cent piece. Such a coin would be an open invitation to raise the price of open invitation to raise the price of which is a minor multiple of two. Perhaps the postal system should be made self-sustaining, but it should not be put on a business basis by any scheme which, in its ultimate operation, will lay a general commodity tax on the small-scale buyer.

Last Saturday when the weekly drawing was being conducted on the streets of this city, Mr. Ridgley, the announcer stated the drawing should be made an "equal" affair and since white boys had been drawing the numbers from the container, he proposed that time to have the colored lads to the front. In line with such thought he called colored lads to the platform and had them perform. It strikes us that this is a good deal like the performance of the Republican party during election times. They shove the negro to the front and have him serve the white bosses with their ballots, but we haven't yet seen any of the colored boys' names on the ticket. Since they furnish a large majority of the Republican ballots if their anxiety to treat the boys so nicely who furnish their majorities were genuine, they should give them representation on their ticket and let them have some of the "grave". And the colored boys are in position to demand it, not only by having earned it many times over but through sheer strength of numbers.—Caruthersville Democrat.

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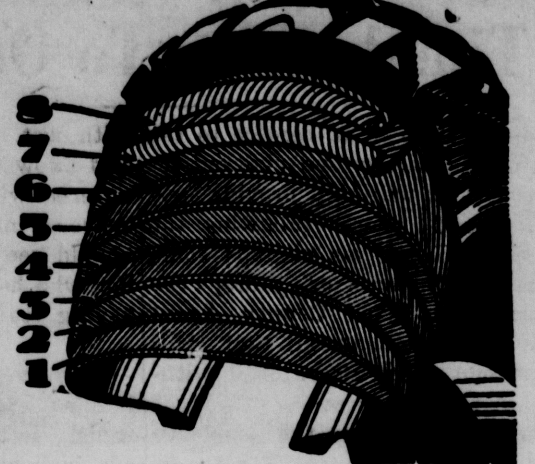
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COMING—Clara Bow in "LOVE  
AMONG THE MILLIONAIRES" and  
Al Jolson in "MAMMY"

SNOW AND A FROST

WITH MERCURY AT 37.

CHASE HEAT IN EAST

Oneida, N. Y., August 12.—Old  
Man Weather, tired of his heat en-  
durance attempt, dropped snow out  
of his bag of tricks here today. The  
flurry lasted only a moment and was  
followed by rain. The temperature  
shot down below sixty.Franklin, Pa., August 12.—The  
weather that a week ago was uncom-  
fortably hot turned to the other ex-  
treme today and frosts were reported  
in the vicinity of Franklin. The of-  
ficial thermometer registered 37 de-  
grees, the coldest August 12 on re-  
cord here.The extent of damage to crops, al-  
ready virtually destroyed by drouth,  
was not determined. The corn and  
potato crops for the most part were  
wholly lost as a result of the dry  
weather.Baked chicken and fried chicken  
dinner and supper Sunday at Shep-  
ard's Cafe.It was a universal superstition at  
one time that the world was filled  
with evil spirits seeking admission  
everywhere. It was to frighten away  
these evil spirits that a grotesque  
face was originally placed on the  
door-knocker of a house.The swiftness is able to pump it-  
self full of air with amazing swift-  
ness and swell up into a little bal-  
loon. These fish when pursued by  
enemies, rush to the surface, inflate  
themselves and then allow the wind  
to blow them along the top of the  
water like top balloons.8 plies  
under  
the Tread

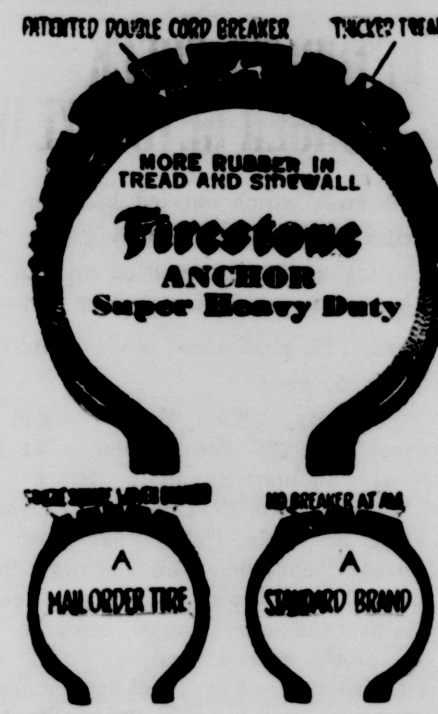
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FOR the high powered, high speed cars of today, with needed quick starts and stops, you should have this extra protection. Just look at the inside of this Firestone Anchor Super Heavy Duty Tire. There are eight plies of cords under the all Non-Skid, Center Traction Tread. It is a big—tough—strong tire—a construction that insures against punctures and blowouts.

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PHONE 256PLENTY OF SEATS NOW FOR  
SERVICES AT MALONE  
PARK SAT. AND SUNDAYS

Elder John B. Huffman announces that about eighteen more wooden benches have been placed near the band stand in Malone Park so that all who come now may be seated.

He will preach on the streets again Saturday afternoon at 2:30 at the park in front of Sterling's 5c to \$1.00 Store.

Saturday evening at 8 o'clock the speaker will make a talk on "Do Women Have the Right to Preach?" "Should Women Teach the Bible or Do Pastoral Work?" Come and hear what the Bible says about it, not what you think. Let the Bible prove this question.

Sunday morning at 10:30, Sunday school and classes for all. You are invited to come and bring the children. The children will receive a treat. Special Bible teaching for adults.

Sunday afternoon at 2:30, Elder Huffman will address the audience on "What is the Church?" "And How Do We Get Into It?" He does not preach creeds and doctrines. The world is going to hell over so many doctrines, so he will endeavor to give Bible scriptures showing just what is the church without doctrinal stuff. Come and hear it.

Sunday evening at 8 o'clock he will talk on "The Backslider", giving the scriptures from both the Old and New Testaments. The text, Hosea, 14:4. Don't fail to hear it. Members of all denominations in-

vited to every service. Glad that business and professional men and women are attending. We do not fight churches nor people, but only the world, flesh and the devil. People of all walks of life invited to attend hear the scriptures expounded. Come and bring the children with you.—John B. Huffman.

Baked chicken and fried chicken dinner and supper Sunday at Shepard's Cafe.

The little red schoolhouse at Freeport, Me., is no longer red, but it boasts 65 years' usage, the same old-fashioned benches, wooden blackboards, mugs on books, box-stove, foot-treadle organ, woodbox and Miss Fannie Mitchell, who has been teaching in Freeport since 1885. All the benches, she says, were cut from one tree.

A grim reminder of the tragedy of the Larchmont which went down with practically all passengers off Watch Hill, R. I., 23 years ago last February was brought to light by three North Providence boys in the form of six life preservers plainly marked with the name of the ship. The boys were sailing off Produce Island when they spied some rubbish off the shore. They put in to explore. While climbing over the rocks they found the life preservers, all in a fair condition, notwithstanding the rigors of 23 years of exposure. It is thought the preservers were driven into the rocks by an exceptionally high tide and remained in their resting place protected from sun and tides.

COTTON WITHSTANDING HEAT  
SAYS FRISCO CROP REPORT

Southeast Missouri and Northeast Arkansas—The weather has been hot and dry during the past week with only local showers reported here and there. The prolonged drouth remains unbroken and grows more serious day by day. All crops continued to deteriorate and reports indicate that there will be a shortage of feed crops in this section even if rain comes soon. The cotton crop is holding up exceptionally well, and especially so on land that has been plowed deep before planting and well cultivated throughout the season. The plants are small for this section, but, for the most part, are well fruited. There has been no damage reported from disease or insect pests this season except from leaf worms which have made their appearance in the vicinity of Caraway, Ark., in the St. Francis Basin, and in Pulaski and neighboring counties. Water supply for both home use and stock purposes is becoming serious in many places.

No woman is allowed on Mount Athos, with its 146 monasteries. The rule is so rigidly kept that domestic animals belonging to the "fair sex" are barred.

Bulgaria put out a stamp showing the devastation caused by the bomb outrage in Sofia Cathedral in 1926, but the stamp recalled too many tragic memories and had to be withdrawn.



## LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MORLEY

Miss Leda Mae Daugherty had Skeston business Saturday.

Raymond Tomlinson was a business visitor in Skeston, Wednesday.

Miss Virginia Black of Vanduser is visiting her cousin, Eloise Stallings.

Mrs. J. W. Zimmerman left Friday for Ware, Ill., to visit her son for 10 days.

C. D. Harris, Jr., and Clarence Beardslee have been on the sick list the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Foster and children and Miss Helen Lee were Cairo visitors, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cutliff of East Prairie were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Watson, Friday.

Mr. W. T. Huffstetler left the first of the week for St. Louis to visit her sister, Mrs. John Utzage.

The W. M. U. will hold their regular monthly meeting with Mrs. Harris Foster Wednesday, August 13.

Mrs. Charley Hitt and Mrs. Dave Mize and daughter, Miss Eva, went to Chaffee Friday to visit relatives.

Miss Lucille McDonough and Mrs. Hugh Johnson of Bell City left Sunday for Wickliffe and Barlow, Ky., to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Choate of near Marion, Ill., were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Clayton, Wednesday.

Mrs. Maude Daugherty and children returned Friday from a visit with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Howard Miller at Farmington.

An oil-burning engine is being installed at the cotton gin owned by the E. P. Coleman Gin Co., in preparation for the fall ginning.

Joe Leslie of St. Louis came down



### After Business

There are dozens and dozens of business men come here almost daily for a refreshing, invigorating swim after a hard, heat grind at the office. Its relaxation, its exercise, it builds up vitality and it provides a climax of enjoyment to an otherwise taxing day. Make it a practice, you'll find it a profitable and pleasurable one. Bathing at all hours up to 1:00 a. m.

### Sikeston Natatorium

Saturday afternoon for a week-end visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Leslie and other relatives.

H. F. and U. A. Emerson, P. B. Bartmes and Clint Terrell of Cairo Dr. Fred Ogilvie of Caruthersville, Harris Foster and Dave Gilliland spent a few days on Black River fishing and hunting.

Mrs. Ed Lee and children of Skeston visited over the week-end with her mother, Mrs. J. W. Payton and sisters, Mrs. Harry and Mrs. Arthur Penrose.

Mrs. Ivan McGlothlin and two daughters of Dexter left for their home Thursday, after a pleasant visit with the former's sister, Mrs. R. H. Leslie.

Misses Mona and Melba Bollinger and Maggie Wallace of Bell City have been visitors of Misses Helen Lee and Leda Mae Daugherty the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ranney of Commerce, Mrs. Bessie Fesler and children of Commerce, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Ranney and children of California and Hawthorn Ranney of Illinois were riday visitors of Mrs. Anna Beardslee and sons.

Word has been received here recently of the nomination of Henry Daugherty of Chelase, Okla., for State Senator. Henry was reared in Morley and received his grade and high school education here, later being cashier of Banks at Morehouse and Canlou. Since moving to Oklahoma he has been admitted to the bar. He has many friends here who wish for him to be successful in the election.

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MOREHOUSE

Mrs. Ed Murphy is reported on the sick list this week.

Little Jacqueline Cain is reported on the sick list this week.

Mrs. O. D. Edwards is visiting relatives at Illmo this week.

Mrs. Hughes of Skeston was a Morehouse visitor Friday.

Mrs. Bill Murphy is visiting relatives in St. Louis this week.

Harold Usrey visited friends and relatives in McMullin, Friday.

T. McBride of Ollie, Texas is visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Bledsoe of near Morehouse, visited here, Thursday.

Herman Bandy of Skeston visited friends here Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gregory and children visited in Morehouse, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Crosno and children were Morehouse visitors, Friday.

Mrs. John Crosno and children were Morehouse visitors Friday afternoon.

Mrs. A. C. Whitener left Saturday for a two weeks' vacation at Hot Springs, Ark.

Lee Saville of St. Louis is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Saville, this week.

Dennis Finley and Ben Woodward of Vanduser visited friends in Morehouse Saturday evening.

Fonny Blaylock, who has been visiting in Chaffee for the past week, returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Darnell delightfully entertained their friends with a lawn party Saturday evening.

A. Tyson and Wes Taylor were business visitors of St. Louis this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Stanley of New Madrid visited relatives here Friday.

A. J. Jenkins and R. R. Givens were business visitors in Doniphan, Sunday.

Miss Gertrude Crumpecker visited friends in Morehouse, Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Addis Martin have been visiting relatives in St. Louis the past week.

Miss Polly McDonough and Leda Mae Daugherty visited friends in Morehouse, Thursday.

Mrs. A. C. Whitener, who has been visiting relatives at Marquand the past week, returned Friday.

Miss Frances Smith, who has been visiting in Flint, Mich., for the past month, returned to her home Saturday.

Miss Lucia Simmons, who has been visiting relatives in St. Louis for the past month, returned Saturday.

L. B. Pinnell of Caruthersville was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Tickell, Thursday as he was enroute to St. Louis.

Mrs. Emma Holdman, a former resident of Morehouse, now living in Detroit, Mich., is the guest of Mrs. J. D. Mercer.

Mrs. Bessie Hutson and children of Paducah, Ky., are the guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Maud Patterson, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Patterson and children of Dexter were guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Maud Patterson, Wednesday evening.

Mrs. D. L. Fisher and children, who have been visiting relatives in Loagnsport and Culver, Ind., for the past two months, returned Saturday.

Miss Ethyl Woods of Cairo and Miss Mildred Guthrie of Eddyville, Ky., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Shipman and family this week.

Wm. Crumpecker and sons, Clarence and Norman, who have been on their vacation at Dawson Springs, Ky., for the past two weeks, returned Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Foster are the proud parents of a son born July 27. Mrs. Foster was formerly Miss Dorothy Mercer of this place. They now reside in Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Fisher and children, accompanied by Robert Boone, left Friday for Culver, Ind., where they will spend the month of August with the former's mother, Mrs. S. A. Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Leming and Dr. C. H. Pease attended the show in Dexter Saturday evening. The picture was Lewis Stone, Ernest Torrence and Catherine Dale Owen in "Strictly Unconventional".

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM NEW MADRID

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Loud motored to Mound City, Ill., Wednesday on business.

Misses Itelle and Estelle Fakes are spending the week in Chicago with relatives.

Lloyd Raidt of St. Louis is spending the week here with his mother, Mrs. B. M. Raidt.

Miss Vivian Drinkwater of Char-Charleston was the guest of her cousin, Clara Drinkwater, Thursday.

Miss Helen Davis of Jonesboro, Ark., arrived Saturday to spend a few days with Miss Corrine Knox.

Miss Evelyn Hunter and brother, Sam, Jr., are spending the week-end in Jackson with their aunt, Mrs. Joe Schmuke and family.

Amos Riley and sisters, Misses Mable and Nannie Riley, of Fort Smith, Ark., are guests of their brother, W. T. Riley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tod Hampton and small daughter of Greenwood, Miss., spent Sunday here with the former's grandmother, Mrs. Josephine Hart.

Mrs. R. A. Richardson and daughter, Mrs. Horrell Townsend, Jr., and small son, left last week for Hopkinsville, Ky., for a three weeks' visit with relatives.

Wm. Cornell, former football coach here, and at present a dental student at St. Louis University, arrived last Thursday and spent a few days here visiting friends.

Misses Florence Crisler and Lucille Sloan entertained a large number of the young society set with a splash party and picnic at the Wash-out Thursday evening.

Mrs. S. A. Berryman and Mrs. R. L. Chesire attended the Methodist Missionary Society meeting at the home of Mrs. J. E. McCord at Lilbourn Thursday afternoon.

The New Madrid ferry, Sporty Days, have started regular twenty-four hour operations, with a boat

leaving New Madrid every hour, both day and night for Kentucky point.

Mrs. Harry Lee La Font and Miss Alyne LaFont and Lucille Segar of Portageville and Miss Frances Cook of Cedar Rapids, Ia., were guests of Miss Pansy Harris over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Warlick and daughter, Misses Mona and Mary Louise Barnett of Humboldt, Tenn., arrived Thursday for a few days visit with their son, H. O. Warlick, Jr., and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Loud and daughter, Miss Eddie, and Miss Alta Vogelsang of Cape Girardeau, left Saturday for St. Louis for a few days' visit and from there will make a ten-day tour of northern Indiana and Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hampton, Misses Mildred Gallivan and Lena Lewis and Russell Edmonston were guests of Horace Blair at a seven o'clock dinner at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Blair, Thursday evening.

Miss Virginia Francis left last week for Atlantic City, N. J., where she joined her sister, Mrs. D. W. Jayne, Jr., for a few days. From there she will continue her journey to Bar Harbor, Maine, where she will attend a house party.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Appuhn and the latter's sister, Miss Mary Lou Ransburgh of Quincy, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Ransburgh and small daughter, Virginia Ann, of Madison, Ill., arrived last week on a visit to their mother, Mrs. Birdie Ransburgh.

Mrs. Willis Chapman honored her house guests, Mrs. Paul O. Huth of Cambridge, Ohio, and Miss Virginia Hunter of Jefferson City, Thursday with a bridge party. A four course breakfast was served at 9:45, after which cards were enjoyed. Miss Margaret Mary Hunter received the trophy for high score.

### TO SEARCH AFRICA FOR ALFALFAS AND FRUITS

Two explorers of the United States Department of Agriculture, H. L. Westover and K. A. Ryerson, are in North Africa looking for wilt-resistant alfalfas and fruits adapted to the United States. They will later continue their exploration in Spain.

Mr. Westover, a forage crop specialist, is now making preliminary surveys in the principal alfalfa-growing districts of Morocco, Algeria, and Tunisia, in order to return to Spain for the first portion of his collection trip. He will return later to these countries to collect the seeds from the harvest which is not yet ready. He made a similar exploration in southwestern Asia, the heart of the alfalfa district, last year, and brought back many varieties of alfalfa now being tested by the department for wilt resistance.

Mr. Ryerson, head of the Office of Foreign Plant Introduction, is looking for varieties of peaches and other fruits that will be of value in this country. He seeks particularly to recover some American varieties of peaches that have disappeared from production in this country after having become established abroad. He originally planned to join Frederic T. Bioletti, professor of viticulture at the University of California, who has been conducting an exploration for grapes and apricots for the United States Department of Agriculture and the university in North Africa. Professor Bioletti's illness has caused some alteration of these plans, so that Mr. Ryerson will have to take charge of the completion of Professor Bioletti's work after the latter has returned to this country. The preliminary work in connection with apricots has been completed, and there remains only the harvest of the seeds and scions. The grape work has not reached so advanced a stage but it is well under way.

Four or five years ago bacterial wilt appeared in the heart of the alfalfa belt and threatened to exterminate this crop. The San Joaquin Valley of California has suffered heavy losses from wilt. Losses in Kansas in 1927-28 amounted to about 15 per cent and for the last three years in Iowa and Missouri to about 25 per cent. In Minnesota, Nebraska, and Missouri wilt has worked hand in hand with crown rot, combining to bring losses up to 50 per cent of the crop. In Colorado it is the most destructive disease of alfalfa, one field suffering loss of 80 per cent of the plants. Wherever prevalent, wilt has done its greatest damage in humid climates and on irrigated lands.

### QUAIL INCREASE DUE TO IMPROVED GAME PROTECTION

As the breeding season for Bobwhite quail progresses, State game census takers report that hundreds of thousands of quail have been saved because of the increasing activities of farmers, sportsmen, the American Legion and conservation

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groups to gain scientific control over wild life conditions, according to the American Game Protective Association.

By feeding the birds when snow was on the ground, northern sportsmen kept many birds from starving and in good physical condition for the breeding season. Game is now receiving better protection from enemies and has more chance to rest, feed and raise young. More farmers are letting game foods remain or are planting such foods. The South is giving more practical attention to feeding problems. Sportsmen and interested persons all over the country are making a habit of planting feed when they go hunting, fishing or hiking.

As a result of such protective measures, Pennsylvania reports a 1,000 per cent increase of quail in West Chester County. Illinois observes an abundant increase. Missouri game officials, who took a quail census in every district covered by game wardens, report a big increase. A big increase is reported throughout the south.

Judging by conditions of the past three years, there is much evidence that progress is being made in controlling at least some of the factors which have caused periodical depletion in the numbers of a given game species.

### NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE UNDER EXECUTION

By virtue and authority of an execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court in and for the County of Scott, returnable to the August, 1930, term of said court, wherein Sturdivant Bank, a banking corporation, is plaintiff and Dan McCoy, Lizzie McCoy and Mary E. McCoy, are defendants, I have levied upon and seized all the right, title and interest of the above-named defendants in and to the following described real estate, situate in Scott County, Missouri, and described as follows, to-wit:

"Situate in the County of Scott, State of Missouri, and being a part of the South Half of Section 26, Township 26 North, Range 13 East, being bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the 1/4 corner between Sections 26 and 35, 26-13, Thence S. 89 degrees 35 minutes W. along the line between Sections 26 and 35, 26-13, a distance of 895.3 feet to the east line of the 43.510 acre tract laid off in the West part of the Southwest Quarter of Section 26, 26-13. Thence North along the East line of the said 43.510 acre tract at 1491.0 feet intersect the South fence line of the Morehouse and Skeston public road. Thence N. 71 degrees 02 minutes E. along the said fence line a distance of 541.0 feet to a point; Thence N. 18 degrees 58 minutes W. a distance of 9.6 feet to a point. Thence N. 71 degrees 03 minutes E. at 1812.7 feet fall on the intersection of the South fence line of the Morehouse and Skeston Public road with the East 1-16 line of Section 26, 26-13. Thence South 0 degrees 04 minutes E. along the said East 1-16 line a distance of 2170.0 feet to a channel iron set for the East 1-16th corner between Sections 26 and 35, 26-13. Thence S. 89 degrees 35 minutes W. along the line between Sections 26 and 35, 26-13 a distance of 1328.8 feet to the place of beginning, containing 91.584 acres. Surveyed during the month of March, 1915, by Benj. L. Parker, and I will on

FRIDAY, AUGUST 29th, 1930 between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the east door of the Court House in the Town of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the above-named defendants in and to the above described property, to the highest bidder, to satisfy said execution and costs.

Dated at Benton, Missouri, this 7th day of August, 1930.  
TOM SCOTT, Sheriff, Scott County, Missouri.

Missouri's supply of deer, which ranges largely through twenty Ozark counties, is doing well in the opinion of Claud Hunt, refuge inspector for the Missouri Game and Fish Department. A good crop of fauns has been noted in most sections although in many places the doe and

fauns have found it necessary to go long distances for water. Estimates of the number of deer now in the State range from 5000 to 10,000 while a few claim an even greater number.

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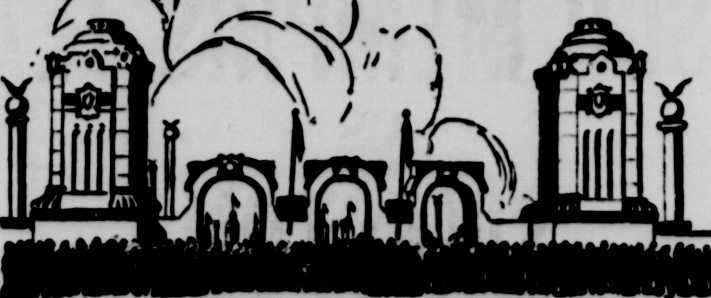
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## JOE BRADSHAW WILL PITCH MEMPHIS GAME

According to word received from Manager Tom Malone, Joe Bradshaw, right-hander of International League fame, will be the moundman for Sikeston next Sunday when the locals tie up with the Memphis Frisco Club in a showdown game on the Fairgrounds park diamond.

Malone received word Thursday about noon confirming a tentative agreement to have the big right-hander work for Sikeston as stated in another story in this issue.

"From all indications," said Malone, "we'll need Bradshaw to beat the Memphis Club. A fluke rally in the June 15 game won for us then, but the visitors chalked up in the second meeting and handed us a package."

The arrangement relieves Burrus of the responsibility of starting the game and places this slugging at second base, completing the heavy-weight infield. Malone is trying to get Haman to work first, and has in mind a Michigan infielder, who is visiting the A. C. Scott family this week.

With such bat busters as Bradshaw, Bowman, Burrus, Smetzer, Hudson and possibly Haman on the field Sunday, the locals stand a mighty good chance of sending the Memphians back to Dixie with the short end of the score.

The game is being announced daily over KFVS, Cape Girardeau.

## .24 INCH RAIN RECORDED HERE

Cooler weather and a total of .24 inches of rain the fore part of this week made a slight dent in the drouth and heat record, but brought only slight measure of relief.

The big drop in temperature occurred on Sunday reaching its low mark of 61 degrees Tuesday. The maximum or highest temperature recorded on the twelfth was 75, or thirty-six degrees cooler than the record high reached Friday.

The rain, even though appreciated to the last drop, was insufficient to give material relief to parched fields.

Wednesday's precipitation was recorded locally as .09 and Thursday's rainfall as .16, making a two-day total of nearly a quarter inch.

The water proposition is becoming acute in the hill section of Scott County and elsewhere. Farmers are forced to haul water from natural springs and deep wells for livestock and home use. The question of water supply locally has not been troublesome. Both deep and shallow wells in this vicinity are producing an abundance of good water, and drainage ditches are still carrying sufficient volume to supply the needs of stock.

## LEFTY FUHR BUYS LINE OF OF RADIOS FROM YOUNG'S

Oscar L. "Lefty" Fuhr, known to a host of Sikeston baseball fans as a twirler, completed arrangements Saturday, whereby he will assume full charge of the radio department, formerly controlled by Young's Place. R. C. A. Atwater, Kent and Victor machines were sold by Young's to Mr. Fuhr, who will assume active charge about September 15.

While here, Fuhr arranged to rent the J. P. Whidden home on North Ranney Street. Mrs. Fuhr and an assistant in the radio business, will arrive here about September 1 to take charge of the business. Fuhr will complete his contract with the New Orleans ball team before joining his wife here. A place of business has not been selected.

## R. L. BRYANT, 50, HURT WHEN HIT BY SPEEDING AUTO

R. L. Bryant, 50 years old, living on Highway 60 near Morehouse, was seriously injured last Friday about 11 o'clock, when he was struck by a passing car as he stepped from another machine in front of his home. He suffered a crushed right chest and punctured lung.

Center-Western Telephone Corporation rebuilding local lines.

Reforestation in the United States last year restored to tree growth a total of 111,175 acres, the Forest Service of the United States Department of Agriculture reports. This included the planting of 31,430 acres by 21 States and two Territories, 5,920 acres by municipalities, 25,088 acres by industrial organizations, 539 acres by schools and colleges, and 1516 acres by other organizations. Farmers planted 24,825 acres to wind-breaks and woodlots, and other individuals planted 3650 acres. The Forest Service planted 18,207 acres of land on national forests last year.

## MISS JULIA MARSHALL WEDS WARD BARNES OF COLUMBIA

By Anne Latimer

Charleston, August 14.—A wedding of distinct social interest to people of this city and surrounding cities, was solemnized today at 4:00 p. m. at the beautiful home of Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Marshall, on East Commercial Street, when their daughter, Miss Julia Amma Marshall, was united in marriage to Mr. Ward E. Barnes of Columbia, Mo., the Rev. E. H. Orear, pastor of the First Methodist church of this city, officiating, assisted by the bride's uncle, Rev. J. R. Bullington, of Holcomb, Mo.

A fashionable gathering of close friends and relatives assembled in the reception rooms of the lower floor, which were transformed into a veritable bower of beauty with their adornment of greenery, potted plants and cut flowers.

An improvised altar with an arch, covered with asparagus fern and yellow flowers; and a background built of ferns and palms, marked the place of the ceremony in the living room. Tall white floor bases filled with yellow and pink shades, were used on each side of the altar.

Preceding the entrance of the bridal party, nuptial music was rendered by the bride's sister, Miss Mary Taylor Marshall, who played Liebestraum, Dream of Love. Just before the ceremony, Mrs. Moore Greer of Sikeston, an aunt of the bride, sang very beautifully, "I Love You Truly" and "Oh, Sweet Mystery of Life", with Miss Marshall as accompanist. Mrs. Greer was attired in a gown of brown chiffon, with applique of brown velvet and with this she wore a hat of brown velvet, and other accessories of matching shade. She wore a wrist bouquet of talisman roses.

Miss Marshall wore a pretty ensemble of brown silk crepe with blouse of egg shell shade and hat of brown velvet. She wore a shoulder corsage of talisman roses.

To the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, played by Miss Marshall, the bridal party couple entered the living room. They were preceded by Master John, Vernon Hummel, a cousin of the bride, who served as ring bearer. He was attired in a suit of old ivory shade with brown accessories.

The bride was beautiful in an ensemble of brown transparent velvet, with blouse of French pink satin and suede gloves of the same shades as her blouse. She wore a small brown velvet hat and footwear of harmonizing shade. She carried an arm bouquet of talisman roses.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held, the bride and groom being assisted in receiving by the bride's parents.

An ice course was served. The guests viewed the large and beautiful array of bridal gifts which were displayed on the second floor of the home.

Following the reception, the couple left in their car for Chicago, where they will visit before going on a boat trip to Niagara Falls, N. Y. They will be at home to their friends in Columbia, after September 3.

Mr. Barnes is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Barnes of Chicago. He is a member of department of science at the University of Missouri, where he graduated and is now completing work for a M. A. degree. He is a member of Acacia Fraternity and Phi Delta Kappa.

The bride is a very talented young woman. She graduated this past June from Missouri University, both in Literary and Music. She was a member of Chi Omega Sorority. She is also a graduate of Stephens College and a member of Eta Upsilon Gamma Sorority and Sigma Gamma Gamma there.

Among the out-of-town guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. Paul Barnes and daughter JoAnna of Columbia, Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Bullington and family of Holcomb, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Howlett and Mr. and Mrs. William Maier of Cape Girardeau, Miss Elizabeth Pell of Farmington, Mr. and Mrs. Moore Greer and family of Sikeston, Mrs. H. F. Tricke and daughter, Clara, and Miss Gertrude Melton of Sedalia.

On Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Paul Hummel entertained with a miscellaneous shower in honor of the bride at her home on Cypress street.

Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Moore Greer of Sikeston entertained in honor of the bride and groom, with a six o'clock dinner at the Marshall Hotel in Sikeston.

Wednesday evening, Dr. and Mrs. Marshall entertained with a six o'clock dinner at their home, at which the bridal party and all out-of-town guests were present.

Bridges on Malden-Risco highway, being installed.

Holt—Construction of school building progressing rapidly.

## CREDITORS TO INVESTIGATE AIRWAYS CO

The creditors of the Mississippi Valley Airways Company held a meeting at the City Hall in Sikeston Tuesday morning. It will be remembered that the Mississippi Valley Airways Co. was organized last December to further the development of airways in Southeast Missouri. Dr. Geo. Huff of Chaffee was elected president of the company. He, with four other people composed the board of directors. The company took over the equipment of the local Boyer Aircraft Company, at the time of its organization. It was capitalized at \$100,000 dollars, \$25,000 common stock and \$75,000 preferred. About \$2000 worth of the preferred stock has been sold to date, and about \$13,000 worth of the common stock has been issued.

It seems as though, from the records and reports, that the company has not been able to meet its obligation. So the creditors have decided to take action and investigate the true condition of the concern.

The meeting was called to order and the reports reviewed. The reports showed little, if anything other than lack of management of the whole affair. The assets of the company are not clear, which means that the listed assets are of only little value. On the other hand, the liabilities of the company amount well up into figures. To date little can be said of the outcome of the affair. However, it looks as tho' the creditors well be left, as usual, holding the empty sack.

The creditors were unable to decide upon a definite program at the meeting the other day. However, they are planning to start an investigation in the detailed workings of the company's officials. The records presented by Dr. Huff, president of the concern, were very poorly kept and leaves many transactions unrecorded. While no action has been taken, some of the creditors, are discussing the investigation of the Blue Sky law in connection with the organization and the stock selling program carried on by Dr. Huff and his friends.

Later developments of the company's condition will be given to the readers of The Standard as soon as possible.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Brenton and daughter, Betty, returned the first of the week from a vacation spent in Salem and other points.

Miss Floy McElroy will return to Cairo Sunday, after a two weeks visit in Sikeston with her parents. She is a student nurse at St. Mary's Hospital.

Mrs. F. P. White and Mr. and Mrs. J. Edgar White of Sikeston, spent Monday in Cairo visiting their sister, Mrs. George Farrin, and Mr. Farrin.—Cairo Citizen.

Mrs. James H. Wilbur, Mrs. L. J. Prosser, Jr., and little daughter, Sally, and Miss Mayme Jean Wilbur were guests of Mrs. R. H. Weeks of Cape Girardeau, Wednesday.

Friends of Miss Mayme Jean Wilbur will be interested to know that she is recovering from an attack of conjunctivitis of the eyes. She is now under the treatment of Dr. Yount of Cape Girardeau.

Mrs. C. D. Matthews, Jr., and Mrs. T. A. Wilson drove to Cairo, Ill., Tuesday and visited Mrs. Joe Matthews, who is a patient in the St. Mary's Hospital. Mrs. Matthews expects to return to her home the last of the week.

Mrs. R. E. Putman, who visited her son and family in St. Louis last week, returned home Monday night. Mrs. L. H. Moore of Bushnell, Ill., came with her for a few days' visit. She returned to St. Louis Wednesday, where she will spend a few days before returning to her home in Illinois.

Virginia, Montana, Oregon and Georgia were the more distant States which contributed to the big August Opening of the Chillicothe Business College last week. Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana and New Mexico were also well represented.

The store in the Calf Ribs neighborhood was broke into last night, and several useful articles, including a side of bacon, are missing. The Deputy Constable went to work on the case early in the day, and so far all he has found out is that the burglars didn't leave a clue.—Commercial Appeal.

The feeding of some of the succulent feeds to cows too close to milking time is likely to cause undesirable flavors and odors in the milk says the U. S. Bureau of Dairy Industry. Some of these feeds are: green alfalfa, cabbage, turnips, rape and kale; and silage made from corn, alfalfa, sweetclover or soybeans. It is well not to feed these feeds within a few hours before milking.

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MATTHEWS

Mr. Statler of Oak Ridge visited in Matthews, Monday.

Thos. Gallivan of New Madrid had business in Matthews Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Holderby visited in Malden and Parma, Sunday.

Noble Ray of Fredericktown is spending the week with Fred Dunn, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Huette and family are moving to Matthews from Canolou.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Zimmer went to Poplar Bluff Sunday to visit the latter's mother.

Mrs. Gill Brooks and son of the Crowe neighborhood, visited in Matthews, Tuesday.

Mrs. Ruby Yates, who has been attending college in Arkansas, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Byrd.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones of Council Bluffs, Ia., spent Thursday at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Fred Dunn.

Little Misses Ava and Ruby Caruthers of near Sikeston sent the past week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Caruthers.

Mrs. Blanche Sipes of Poplar Bluff will begin a revival at White Oak Monday, August 18. Everybody is urged and invited to attend this meeting.

Miss Bernice Sutton entertained a large number of young folks Saturday evening with a party in honor of Miss Lois Randolph of Farmington. Refreshments consisting of cake and ice cream were served.

Fire of unknown origin completely destroyed the large barn on the farm run by N. Garner, three miles southwest of Matthews at about 9:10 o'clock Tuesday evening. The contents in the barn, consisting of farm implements, hay, corn, soybeans and other things, were completely destroyed. This is surely hard for a farmer to have his crops destroyed by drouth then fire to destroy the remainder of feed, etc.

## DEMPSTERS TO HANDLE FRIGIDAIRE IN DISTRICT

Final arrangements were completed Thursday morning, whereby the Dempster Furniture Co. will in the future handle the line of Frigidaire in the Sikeston District.

Schorle Bros. have acted as agents for this popular line of electric refrigerators for the past two years, but decided to discontinue the line this week. E. F. Schorle explained that he was unable to give his undivided attention to the bakery business while handling Frigidaire and decided to turn the agency into other hands.

George Dempster, junior member of the firm, will leave Monday morning for St. Louis, where he will receive a week's instruction in Frigidaire construction and maintenance, so that any problems arising in the territory served by the Dempster Company, can be handled from the Sikeston office.

Besides Sikeston, the trade territory covered by Dempsters includes Morley, Diehlstadt, Blodgett, Crowder, Morehouse, Vanduser and Bertrand.

## INDUSTRIAL NEWS

Garden City—L. L. McCrab completing golf course south of old livery barn.

Harrisonville—Benson & Henderson received contract recently for installation of distribution system in this city.

Breckenridge—T. M. Parker and force of men painting school building inside and out.

Liberty—Liberty Service & Gas Co. starts laying pipeline for gas to serve this city.

Pilot Knob—New Pilot Knob church edifice being occupied.

Princeton—John Lindsey sold cleaning and pressing establishment to Wm. Heiser.

Bland—Gasconade Golden Cheese Co. opened for business recently under management of Russell Peterson. Excelsior Springs—Plans submitted for landscaping new high school building.

Butler—Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Elliott leased Crystal Hotel on Ohio Street. Ash Grove—New Chandler Store completed.

Fairmount—Maywood Theatre being remodeled and installs talkie equipment.

Seneca—Short's Cash Store opened for business.

Cricket Hicks says he used to have an ambition to become president, but he believes now, since growing older, that he would be satisfied if he could only look as important as a hotel clerk.—Commercial Appeal.

## Local and Personal

Louis Scott is able to be about again after a painful siege of sickness.

Mrs. Lyle Malone returned Wednesday from a three-day trip to St. Louis.

Miss Lillian Rita Derris returned the first of the week from a visit with relatives in St. Louis.

Mesdames Britton and Clint Terrel of Cairo were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Allen, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore Greer and family are now located in the Dunaway property on North Ranney St.

Paul Loebe of Birmingham, Ala., drove in Sunday to join his wife and son, who are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bowman and son of Chicago are visiting Mrs. Bowman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Simler.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Waller of Hot Springs, Ark., are guests of their daughter, Mrs. J. E. Robinson and family.

Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Anthony and daughter and Mrs. Randol Wilson drove to Cape Girardeau Wednesday evening.

Misses Bertha and Ann Klingel, who have been visiting relatives in Edwardsville, Ill., returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. John Fisher entertained Saturday with four tables of bridge, complimenting Mrs. Paul Loebe of Birmingham, Ala.

Miss Addie Louise Downey of Ironton came Monday for a visit with Miss Lois Robinson. She returned to her home, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pitman and son, Harold, are spending several days in Kennett, guests of Mrs. Pitman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Solomon.

Mesdames Earl Johnson, E. J. Malone, Sr., E. J. Malone, Jr., and son, Paul, and Mr. and Mrs. John Malone were visitors to Cape Girardeau, Monday.

Mrs. Moore Greer attended a miscellaneous shower for Miss Julia Amma Marshall at Charleston Wednesday afternoon given by Mrs. Paul Hummel.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Neff of St. Louis are visiting the latter's father, Frank Martin and family, east of Sikeston. Mr. Neff is recuperating from an operation.

Harold Pitman and Lucy Lewis returned last week from New Mexico, where both have been employed for the past year. Harold in Taos, New Mexico, and Lucy in Raton.

The four-month-old child of Wayne Bess is reported to be recovering from an attack of colitis. The youngster has been in serious condition for several days but showed marked improvement Wednesday.

Mrs. John Welter was hostess at the Lotto party at the school house Wednesday afternoon. A very enjoyable time was had by those present. Mesdames Dall Harness, Mary Loebe and Ross Trousdale will be the hostesses for the last party that will be held in the school house, which will be next Wednesday afternoon. The public is cordially invited.

Miss Lois Robinson entertained with bridge Tuesday evening, complimenting her guest, Miss Addie Louise Downey of Ironton. The following enjoyed the evening: Misses Ella Helen Smith, Emily Blanton, Ann Beck, Imogene Albritton and Kendall Sikes, Robert Dempster, Bob Mow, Jr., Herbert Bandy, Ralph Bailey and Louis Walker.

## Weeks Theatre

Dexter, Missouri

SUNDAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY,

August 17, 18, 19

Matinee Sunday, 2:30 p. m. Admission 15c and 35c. Nights 7:30 p. m.

Admission 15c and 35c

The Monster Fun Show with the world's greatest comedians BERT WHEELER and ROBERT WOOLSEY in "THE CUCKOOS". A thousand gags—and every one a riot—gorgeous girls—nine liltling song hits, cast of a 1000 singers, dancers and comedians—fun show of the age.

NEWS AND ACT

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY,

AUGUST 20-21

A romance of courage filmed at the "bottom of the world" with "BYRD AT THE SOUTH POLE". Fight and fly with Byrd! The most exciting adventure ever seen on the screen. Prepare for the most exciting pleasure the screen has ever given you. Where merely to live in an achievement and a real story with a smashing climax. Also 2-reel talking COMEDY. Adm. 15c and 35c

A sensation stirring Fox Movietone drama of Gangland, "BORN RECKLESS" featuring EDMUND LOWE, CATHERINE DALE OWEN, LEE TRACY. Also 2-reel talking COMEDY and SOUND CARTOON.

## JUST PLAYING, LADS HAND NEARLY SEVERED BY AXE

Little Gerald Emmons, 10 years old, son of Mrs. Gertie Emmons of near Canolou and a boy friend were "just playing" Thursday morning, but Gerald's right hand is in a sling. The axe slipped and nearly severed the member.

For lack of a better name, the boys were playing "miss the foot". The rules are simple enough. While one of the youngsters swung an axe, the other tried to withdraw his foot from the chopping block at the exact instant necessary to prevent a major injury. Elders in the family could not see the fun in that game and the boys were induced to play a less hazardous game.

They decided to repair a wagon wheel. Gerald's hand happened to be in the way of the axe, however, as his companion brought the instrument down on a particularly obstinate bit of timber.

Dr. H. M. Kendig stitched leaders and skin together and young Emmons left for Canolou.

## RATE CUT WILL NOT EFFECT LOCAL BUS FARES

According to a report issued by the local Pickwick Greyhound office, the proposed rate cut of from 10 to 25 per cent will affect directly transcontinental and "circle tours", and not local rates between St. Louis and Memphis via Sikeston at this time. No schedule was announced.

A rate cut in local fares is expected soon according to Mr. Shepherd, but no definite date has been set in circulars from the main office in Kansas City.

## CHANGE DISPATCHING TIME OF EVENING MAIL

According to an announcement of the First Assistant Postmaster General, a change in dispatching time of mail becomes effective at the local postoffice August 15. Instead of closing at 9:00 p. m. as has been the case, the office will close at 7:00 p. m.

The human heart makes ten beats per minute fewer when the body is in a lying position than when upright.

Don't miss seeing "Cuckoos", Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, August 17-19. The monster fun show and with "Byrd at the South Pole", Wednesday and Thursday, August 20, 21 at Weeks' Theatre Dexter.

In Australia, among the northern tribes, a man is warned of the approach of his mother-in-law by the sound of a bull-roar, since it is their rule that a man may not speak to, or even look upon the mother of his wife.

The sand table of the very long ago was a simple contrivance, a board covered with fine sand, on which, with their fingers, school children formed their letters. The sand was then prepared for the next lesson with a "smother".

# BASEBALL

## RUBBER GAME

## FRISCO MEMPHIS TEAM

VS.

## SIKESTON

## Sunday Afternoon, August 17th

## AT FAIRGROUNDS PARK

GAME 3:00 P. M.

A red hot game is on tap. Each team has won one and lost one. The locals will try to make it two wins for the home team.

Burrus or Bradshaw on the mound for Sikeston.—Meadows for Memphis.

Admission 25c and 50c

Comets attain a rate of 2000 miles an hour through space.

The largest flower grows in the island of Sumatra, a Dutch possession in the West Indies. The full-grown flower may be eight feet high.

Aunts, uncles, and other friends are more harmful to babies than pins, beads, buttons and other things commonly called "dangerous"; they work their evil by giving young mothers foolish advice. At least, so says an American research organization.

Add market reports—Corn in Ashland is 90 cents a bushel in one form and \$9 a gallon in another, the Bugle reports.

It may be that Ashland's proximity to Columbia and the University has something to do with that \$9.00 per gallon price. Down here we are glad to get \$5.00 per.

FOR RENT—5-room house on corner Ethel and Highway 61.—Mrs. W. A. Calhoun. 2tpd.

FOR RENT—5-room house, modern close to school. Good neighborhood.—Phone 418 or 497.

FOR SALE—Majestic range, electric Victrola, refrigerator, davenport, Turkish rocker, beds, breakfast set. Phone 35.—Mrs. J. H. Yount. 4t. 90-94.

FOR SALE—Cheap, 40 acre fruit and poultry farm, high bottom land, 7 1/2 miles south of Poplar Bluff. Write or see C. C. Amstutz, R. F. D. box 89, Sikeston, Mo. 2tpd.

## MINIATURE GOLF COURSE



What's on tonight? Why not get out the old favorite putter and dash over to Tanner and Kingshighway corner for a thrilling round on our fine Wee Way Miniature course? Young and old are doing it, and junior stands a good chance of beating his old man on every match! It'll be a large evening.

Friday night tournament is open

One round of 18 holes costs only 25c. 15c in the morning and afternoon.

GEORGE L. DYE, Mgr.

## WEE WAY GOLF COURSE



## DAIRYING

By Dr. L. D. LeGear, V. S.

Dr. LeGear is a graduate of Ontario Veterinary College, 1892. Thirty-eight years of veterinary work. Eminent authority on diseases and raising of dairy cows and other livestock and poultry. Nationally known lecturer, writer and author.

## GOOD PASTURES NEED GUARDING

In a country where land is as cheap and as plentiful as it is in the United States it is not surprising perhaps that we have not become the pasture experts our brothers claim to be on the other side of the water.

In Holland, for instance, land is worth anywhere from \$500 to \$1,000 an acre. To make that land profitable for pasturing requires no little skill especially where you have to pay in rental each year as much as land sells for in many sections of the United States. The sod has been pastured for centuries. The Hollanders nurse it and protect it as carefully as we protect our most important crops.

To show you the difference between good pasture land and poor pasturing in this country, an ordinary cow can get along very well on 2 1-2 acres of Kentucky or Canadian blue grass, or any other good permanent grazing ground. On the other hand it takes from 10 to 20 acres of our wild western ranges or unimproved prairie land to support the same cow.

One rule is never violated by careful pasture owners, that of allowing the cattle to go onto the grass too early in the spring. The grass must be allowed to get a good start before it is called upon to withstand the sharp hoofs of the cow. It is also very injurious to the sod to allow pasturing during the winter or the late fall when the ground is apt to be wet and soggy.

It is a little difficult to fix exact dates at which cows should go onto the pasture because of the different climatic conditions in various parts of the country. As a general rule, pastures are ready in the southern States about the middle of March. April 1st is a safe day for the ma-

jority of pastures in northern Oklahoma, southern Missouri, Kentucky, Tennessee and States in the same latitude. From April 20th to May 5 takes in the north central States such as Nebraska and Iowa. Across the northern section of the United States it is frequently advisable to delay pasturing until the latter part of May or first of June.

One way to test the efficiency of your pasture is to see whether it is able to furnish sufficient feed thru the normal grazing season. If your pasture gives out too early it may be that you are using it too soon in the spring.

These are minor points perhaps, but dairy animals should not be required to travel a long distance in order to secure their food. Therefore, it is highly desirable to have the pasture near the barn. Also, that it have a sufficient supply of good drinking water in it or near it.

Another mistake many farmers make is to shut off the feeding of the cows in the spring. That is a good way to cut down on their production because grass in the spring is mostly water. It cannot possibly contain enough of the necessary food value to maintain the normal diet of the producing cow. Therefore, you should continue the feeding of grain and hay or silage. As a matter of fact, even the best pasture is not a sufficient diet for dairy cows any time of the year. If your herd is producing twenty-five pounds (pints) of milk daily per cow on grass, you should feed about one pound of grain to every six or seven pounds of milk. A cow that is producing forty pounds of milk daily should have its pasture supplemented by one pound of grain to each four or five pounds of milk.

This subject of feeding is so important in connection with the volume of milk secured from the herd that I feel too much emphasis cannot be placed upon it. The poorest economy in the world is to save money on feeding. Your cows will produce in direct proportion to the amount of correct feeding.

## THIS WEEK IN MO. HISTORY

Floyd C. Shoemaker  
When the first Mormons came to Missouri from Ohio and other States in the East, they had as their purpose the founding of an ecclesiastical kingdom. They were inspired by

what Joseph Smith, their prophet, told them was a revelation from heaven, directing them to go to "land of Missouri" and build a temple, where the gathering of Zion would be held. Jackson county, in which was situated the designated site of the temple, thus became the seat of a Mormon colony.

Differences soon arose between the original settlers and the newcomers in Jackson county. The principal factor in these differences, doubtless, was religion. The Mormons were particularly zealous, which added to their troubles. Other factors which appear to have contributed to the animosity that soon developed were the slavery question and possible social incompatibility. The Missourians, most of them, were southerners, while the Mormons were from the North and East. The Missourians, many of them, at least, owned slaves; and the Mormons were supposed to be enemies of that practice.

At any rate, the Mormons were driven from Jackson county. They fled into Clay, across the Missouri river, and here found a certain degree of welcome. Some went into other counties. But the problem was not solved. In 1838, largely due to the efforts of Alexander W. Doniphan, Caldwell County was created and designated the Mormons' home. Into it most of them moved, principally from Clay and Ray Counties.

But the Mormons tended to "overflow" into other counties, and the "Gentiles", as the "Saints" called the non-Mormons, flared up again. So it happened that, ninety-two years ago this work, in a fight at Gallatin, in Daviess county, the Mormon war was renewed. The strife was finally to result in the expulsion of the sect from the boundaries of the State.

It was August 6, 1838—election day. The Mormons of Daviess county, living principally at Adam-ondi-Ahman—the little city to which they believed "Adam shall come to visit his people"—had heard rumors that "the mob", as they called their enemies, was preparing to prevent their voting. They determined, nevertheless, to go to Gallatin and assert their rights. They were a zealous people, courageous and resolute in the opposition of any attempt at discrimination because of their religion.

At Gallatin, Joseph Smith wrote, there was speechmaking against the Mormons, and a fight broke out. According to the prophet's account, "the mob bully, just drunk enough for the occasion, began a discussion with Brother Samuel Brown by saying 'The Mormons were not allowed to vote in Clay County, no more than the d— negroes; and attempted to strike Brown.'"

"Perry Murphy attempted to suppress the difficulty.... when five or six of the mobbers seized Murphy and commenced beating him with clubs, boards, etc., and crying 'kill him, kill him, kill him, kill him'."

Major Joseph H. McGee, who witnessed the fight that ensued, wrote: "I had witnessed many knock downs in my time, but none on so grand a scale. Pistols were not used. Rocks and clubs were in demand, and an occasional butcher knife slipped in. Men dropped on all sides."

"I saw one poor Mormon trying to make his escape from two Missourians who were pursuing him. He had a butcher knife sticking between his shoulders.... Another Mormon... seized a big club... and dealt them such blows that he felled them both to the earth and allowed the Mormon... to escape."

The Missourians won the fight, but the Mormons clung to their cause. The region was turned into two armed camps. Then came the battle of Crooked Creek and—to climax the bloody chapter—Haun's Mill massacre, both in Caldwell county. Governor Boggs, following the Crooked Creek fight, demanded the extermination or expulsion of the Mormons. Shortly after the Haun's Mill massacre, in which eighteen Saints were slain, their leaders surrendered at Far West and they began to move out of Missouri.

When making apple jelly flavor a few glasses with mint and add green coloring. This will be appetizing to serve with lamb.

Patent leather that will not crack, shoes that rival snake and lizard skins in beauty, coats as soft as silk and very strong—all these can be worked up from shark hide.

So many families these days are forbidden fried meat that different ways of preparing chickens are very welcome. Prepare a young chicken as for frying, salt lightly and fry until light brown in drippings. Melt three tablespoons butter in a saucepan, add one-half cup vinegar, one teaspoon mustard, one teaspoon sugar, a dash of cayenne and tabasco mixed, salt and pepper. Let all come to a boil, pour over chicken and bake in a moderate oven until tender and lightly browned.

## NEWS ITEMS FROM MOREHOUSE VICINITY

Herman Boyer of Sikeston was a Morehouse visitor, Monday.

Wm. Crumpecker was a business visitor of New Madrid, Monday.

Dick Baynes of New Madrid was a business visitor of Morehouse Tuesday.

Mrs. J. M. Himmelberger visited with friends in Cape Girardeau Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Medley of Sikeston were Morehouse visitors Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Williams are the proud parents of a daughter born August 11.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Montgomery of Waterloo, Ia., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Boone.

Louise Newton, who has been in St. Louis for the past two months, spent the week-end in Morehouse.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Deneke and children left Saturday for an extended visit with relatives at Gordonville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dillion attended the show in Sikeston Sunday evening, the picture being Bert Wheeler in "The Cuckoos".

Lilbourn Headlee, accompanied by Miss Gertrude Crumpecker and Mrs. B. Crumpecker of Canalou, spent Sunday at Big Springs.

Mrs. Geo. McFarling, who has been visiting relatives in St. Louis and Cairo for the past two months, returned home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Underhill and children of Malden were the guests of Mrs. Underhill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Saville, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Spence, Jr., and son, Tim, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Wofford of Cape Girardeau, enjoyed an outing at Big Springs, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Headlee and family left Monday for a two weeks' vacation in different parts of Kentucky. They will visit the Mammoth Cave before their return.

Miss Melba Usrey, who has been visiting relatives in Karmack, Ill., for the past month, returned Sunday and was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Ritchie, who were guests of the former's aunt, Mrs. J. D. Mercer, Sunday. They returned to their home Sunday evening.

REMARKABLES  
THIS CASE WON  
BY NEW KONJOLA

Joplin Lady Suffered for Years and Spent Hundreds of Dollars—New Medicine Brought Quick Relief.



MRS. CHARLES STURGES

"I can truthfully say that I had not seen a well day for ten years before taking Konjola", said Mrs. Chas. Sturges, 401 Hill Street, Joplin. I underwent two operations and became a victim of constipation and stomach trouble. I could only eat liquid foods and often these would not be digested and I was subjected to vomiting spells. I had frightful pains across my back and night rising was frequent. Rheumatism then settled in my arms, hands, and feet, and I was unable to walk for about half of the time.

"I have not spent a day in bed since I began taking Konjola. My feet, hands, and arms have not swelled a bit and I can now eat solid foods. I have gained in weight and I feel like a different person. After spending hundreds of dollars and suffering for ten years I have finally found a medicine that went to the source of my ailments and restored my health."

Konjola is recommended for ailments of the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels and rheumatism, neuritis and nervousness.

Konjola is sold in Sikeston at the Derris Drug Store and by all the best druggists in all towns throughout this entire section.

## AN ABANDONED RAIL LINE BRINGS \$17,000

Cape Girardeau, August 12.—A sale of steel on the old Cape Girardeau Northern Railroad between Jackson and Perryville was authorized in common pleas court today in an order issued by Judge O. A. Knehan. Under terms of the order George W. Cross of this city, receiver for the road, will sell the steel to the highest bidder, the Sonken Jalamba Corporation of Kansas City for \$17,000. The line has been out of use for a number of years.

Whenever you use gasoline for cleansing purposes pour the refuse down the sink. The gasoline will cut the grease deposits wonderfully. Pour boiling water down immediately following the gasoline bath.

A Hindu in the Punjab cannot be legally married a third time, and when, therefore, he wants a third wife, he is married to a certain tree, so that when he does actually take another wife she counts as his fourth.

## WRECK VICTIM TO UNDERGO OPERATION

Walker Bell Chaney, driver of a grocery truck which figured in a Pickwick-Greyhound wreck south of Sikeston last December, was moved to Cairo hospital Wednesday morning for another operation, according to Bill Carson, owner of the truck driven by Chaney.

Frost forming on the windshield and a heavy fog was blamed by the bus company employees for the rear end collision about 8:30 o'clock, December 28, 1929. Chaney was seriously hurt in the accident and was confined to a hospital for many weeks. Carson stated that about two inches of the lad's jawbone would be removed to prevent additional infection.

A damage suit instituted by Carson against the Pickwick-Greyhound Co., was transferred Monday on a change of venue from the Scott County Circuit Court to Judge W. S. C. Walker's court at Bloomfield. The case was set originally for August 19 at Benton, and will now be held during the December term in Stoddard County. A similar change of venue was granted the company in the case of Lois Hahn vs. Pickwick-Greyhound Lines. Miss Hahn was run down several months ago and slightly injured while crossing New Madrid street.

## MISSISSIPPI'S FIRST BALE OF 1930 COTTON GINNED

Charleston, August 12.—Mississippi County's first bale of 1930 cotton was ginned Monday at East Prairie by the Roberts Cotton Company, weighing 549 pounds lint. This carries a \$25 premium. The cotton was produced on Mount Level Plantation, property of Central States Life Insurance Co. by Claude Green and Roy Woods, tenants. It was Ganges 86-pound variety. The cotton in seed weighed 1670 pounds.

Jasper—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kaufman purchased Tiller Cafe.

## THE NEWLYWEDS SAID



"... and THAT is our new HOME"

"When we decided to buy a home of our own, right away, we scanned the real estate offerings in the Twice-a-Week Sikeston Standard Want-Ad section...after selecting a list of tentative 'buys' we made the round until we discovered the one and only home for us, and THAT is our new HOME."

We urge the folks who do not OWN THEIR OWN HOMES to turn to the classified section of this newspaper and carefully read the list of unusual offers that are now being made... YOUR last excuse for not being a home owner will be knocked galley west.

WANT-AD  
Department

Twice-a-Week Sikeston Standard  
Phone 137



Take Advantage of this 25¢ SALE!

An opportunity to replenish your pantry at a worthwhile saving.



Rice Krispies 2 PKGS. 25¢

GOLD MEDAL CAKE Flour PKG 25¢  
Crisco 1/2 25¢  
COCONUT Corn Crisp . . . CAN 25¢  
WHITE HONEY TALL Milk 3 CANS 25¢

EIGHT O'CLOCK Coffee 3 LBS. 69¢

Sparkle 4 PKGS. 25¢

BUFFET Fruit Salad . 2 CANS 25¢

RAJAH Salad Dressing 2 1/2 25¢

STANDARD SLICED Pineapple No. 1 1/2 25¢

QUAKER MAID Beans . . 3 CANS 25¢

BEAN HOLE Beans . . 2 CANS 25¢

Sauerkraut 2 NO. 2 1/2 CANS 25¢

Pure Lard 2 lb. 27¢

Sugar Cured Bacon lb. 26¢

Sugar Cured Hams lb. 28¢

Smoked CALLES, lb. 22¢

Smoked JOWLS, lb. 19¢

CAMEL AND LUCKY STRIKE Cigarettes 2 PKGS. 25¢

P & G Soap 7 BARS 25¢

Lux Flakes 3 PKGS. 25¢

Jap Rose Soap 3 CANS 25¢

Northern Tissue 3 ROLLS 25¢

ATLANTIC & PACIFIC



## LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM BLODGETT

Isaac Marshall has been sick the past few days.

Lester Graham of St. Louis visited his parents this week.

Mrs. Duke has as her house guest her sister and children of Hickman, Ky.

Mrs. J. T. Huey and son, O. F. Anderson are in St. Louis this week visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stubbs and son, Thad, were in Cape Girardeau last Thursday on business.

Miss Wanda Brasher of Paducah, Ky., is visiting at the home of her uncle, Brooks Brasher and family.

Mrs. Eliza Lemons has as her house guests this week her granddaughter and sister from Houston, Texas.

Mrs. James Peal and daughter, Louise, returned home Sunday, after a month's visit in St. Louis with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Marshall and family have returned from St. Louis, where they have spent the past two months.

Miss Martha Harrison of Benton and Miss Margaret Pellet of Illinois were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Jester, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Holmes and

son, Harold, are visiting at the W. W. Lemons home this week.

Mrs. Wm. McBride and daughter left Friday for their home in Spokane, Wash. They have been visiting relatives the past month.

Mrs. W. H. Allen of Memphis, Tenn., and Mrs. Halley Smith and children of Elvins, Mo., are visiting Mrs. Wm. Scarbrough this week.

John Fred Nunnelee, Fred Wyatt, Woodrow Graham and Isaac Marshall returned Tuesday from Jefferson Barracks, where they have been for the past month.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Bailey entertained Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stubbs and family for 12 o'clock dinner. In the afternoon the Woman's Club met and gave a farewell party for Mrs. Stubbs, who is moving to Cape Girardeau.

Announcements were received from Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Marshall last week of the marriage of their daughter, Lessie, to Dr. H. B. Bradburn of Lincoln, Ill. They were married at Winchester, Ill., December 23, 1929. Dr. and Mrs. Bradburn will be at home at Lincoln, after August 10, where Dr. Bradburn will practice medicine.

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM NEW MADRID

Portageville shoplifters were given fast justice Tuesday morning in Justice S. F. Swilley's court, when Corrine Lacy and Clarence Perkins, both negroes, began serving a six-month sentence each in the New Madrid County jail on a charge of shoplifting, within an hour after committing the act. The couple visited the Max Feinstein store and after Perkins looked at some trousers, he decided they weren't the kind he wanted, so they departed, and then went to the Jonah DeLisle store and Perkins again wanted to purchase some trousers. While Perkins was being shown the trousers, Mrs. Cora Wells, a saleslady in the store, noticed a dress hanger swinging near the Lacy girl, and upon investigation, she discovered that a dress was missing and saw a portion of it in a bag in the possession of the girl. Marshal Adams was immediately summoned, and the girl was searched and besides the dress, a skirt was also found in her possession, together with a pair of slippers, which were identified as belonging in the Feinstein store. Prosecuting Attorney J. Val Baker happened to be in town at the time and a trial was immediately called, with neither of the defendants denying the charge, so both were sentenced to six months in jail. The loot was valued at slightly less than \$30.

H. Mays of near Henderson Mounds was raided Monday and a quantity of home brew was destroyed as well as about 12 gallons of whiskey. A still and fourteen barrels of mash were destroyed a short ways from the Mays' home, but the still was not in operation and no one was found on the scene. Mays, however is in jail unable to fill bond for possession of intoxicating liquor, and will be given a preliminary hearing before Justice Smith, Wednesday.

Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock from the Catholic church for Mrs. Emma I. Robbins, 73 years of age, who died Sunday at the Robbins' farm, near Marston. Mrs. Robbins, who was a LeSieur before her marriage to Jas. Robbins, was born and reared in this county, and is related to many of its prominent citizens. She was known as a good wife and mother and loved by all who knew her. Fr. Thos. Flannigan presided over the services at the church, after which interment was made in the Evergreen Cemetery. Mrs. Robbins leaves to mourn her demise, two sons, J. K. and Felix, and three daughters, Mrs. Wm. O'Bannon, Mrs. Myra Pharris and Mrs. Susie Conran, all of New Madrid.

John Wheeler spent the week-end with his parents in Hickman, Ky.

Miss Peggy Reeves of Portageville is the guest of Miss Libba Hunter.

Joe Wiley spent the week-end with friends in Hickman, Ky., and Ridgely, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Tucker Sloas of the Marston neighborhood were New Madrid visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Dan McCoy of Puxico is spending the week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bock.

Frank Petty, T. C. Wilson and "Doc" Chapel attended the Malone theatre in Sikeston Monday evening.

Guy Haskins of Malden looked after his interests in the King Cotton Gin here Saturday and also visited friends.

Lloyd Raidt, left Sunday for St. Louis, after a week's visit here with his mother, Mrs. B. M. Raidt and brother Willett.

Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Warlick, of the government fleet, No. 8, spent

the week-end in Humboldt, Tenn., with the former's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wall of Armadilla, Ark., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chesire, at the home of Mrs. S. A. Berryman.

Jack Kent of Jackson, Tenn., arrived Tuesday and will spend a few days here with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McCord and family.

John Bowers and Miss Elizabeth Estham of Hickman, Ky., spent Sunday here, the guests of the latter's brother, Harmon Estham, of the government fleet.

Miss Mary Hunter, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Hal Hunter and grandmother, Mrs. Jackson, motored to Charleston Monday, where Miss Mary remained for a few days visit with Miss Dorothy Drinkwater.

The motor boat "And How III", racing from New Orleans to St. Louis in an effort to beat the record made by Dr. Leroy in the "Bogie", was seen by several New Madrid people, when it passed here at 7:30 Sunday evening.

## MODERNIZATION WILL RELIEVE HOUSING SITUATION, SAYS REALTOR

"The Home Modernizing Movement as promoted by The Standard is bound to be an important factor in relieving the housing situation in Sikeston," asserted C. F. Bruton. "Good rentable houses are always in demand but the average renter is not in the market for old time obsolete looking houses. He wants something that is up to date."

"The owner who will take an old looking house and modernize it with new lines and up to date fixtures will find that he has a first class rentable proposition. I have on my list right now a number of good tenements who would gladly move into a modern home if they could find one. The lack of first class housing is hurting the city and also the landlords."

"Drive around the city as I am doing every day and you will see any number of old timers standing idle, eating their heads off as the saying is, because they are unrentable. If the owners of these houses will spend the necessary to modernize the building and make it up to date, they will find that the modernized dwelling will be literally snapped up by renters. They will keep their property rented month after month instead of standing idle for long stretches of time and then often rented to undesirable tenants who are careless and destructive."

"Another important factor in modernization which must be considered is the saleability of the modernized home. Whereas the house with old lines and out of date fixtures is hard to sell, the modernized residence will move on a slow market. It pays to modernize."

Mr. Bruton is a hearty booster for modernization and endorses warmly the movement as sponsored by The Standard. His wide experience in real estate and housing problems enables him to speak with authority.

## TWIN HEAVENS

The deepest eyes, the bluest cheer— Those eyes that look me through, Those eyes that shed a happy tear— That speaks the heart and soul of you!

The eyes that none is naught to claim, That thrusters themselves in me! Those eyes from whence the blue skies came, As errant jewels of the sea.

Your eyes are as the setting sun When tears bemoan their glee— That glows the red of peace begun For tomorrow, for you, for me!

—James Huls, Jr.,

When men and women of different races intermarry what is the inheritance? An effort to find out specifically how racial mixture affects bodily and mental traits of their descendents and energy is to be made by Dr. H. L. Shapiro of Harvard University. Hawaii has been chosen for the investigation, in view of its large assortment of the white, yellow and brown races, and the resulting intermarriages. The investigations will cover several years.

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FOR RENT—My home, 930 North Ranney. Rent reasonable to desirable tenant.—J. P. Whidden, Jonesboro, Ark. 86-ff.

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MATTHEWS

D. A. Chiles is still very ill at this writing.

Mrs. Thos. Holderby had business in New Madrid Thursday.

Mrs. Joe Caruthers and children shopped in Sikeston Saturday.

Ralph and Kenneth Gurley are visiting with relatives in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Zimmer motored to Advance Sunday to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Forest and children visited relatives in Sikeston Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Elderbrooks attended church in Canolou Thursday evening.

Miss Mildred Nelson of Canolou spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Deane.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams and little daughter shopped in Sikeston, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Englehart and little son shopped in Sikeston Saturday evening.

Lester King and Paul Revelle returned Saturday from a short trip to Memphis, Tenn.

Ernest Jones of Detroit, Mich., is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jones.

Miss Genevieve Dickerman of the Crowe neighborhood, spent Sunday with Miss Helen Waters.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Kochel of Canolou visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Elderbrooks, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lumsden and son, Herbert, of Canolou spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lumsden.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hunott and little son of near Morehouse visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hunott, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Mitchell and daughter, Miss Hazel, of Hayti spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Deane.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stroud and children returned Sunday from a two weeks' camping trip through the Ozarks and a short visit in Evansville, Ind., with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. King returned Saturday from Tennessee. They were accompanied home by their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Roy King and family.

Mrs. Brit McGee and little daughter, Helen, attended church at the Crowe Arbor in Crowe District, last week. Mrs. McGee has been pianist for the revival at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Holderby and William Roberts returned last week. Mr. and Mrs. Holderby have been visiting in Urbana, Ill., while Mr. Roberts visited relatives in Harrisburg, Ill.

Mrs. Gertrude Thobald and daughter, Miss Helen, returned to their home in St. Louis, Saturday, after a few weeks visit here with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gossett and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Weatherford. Master Doris Gossett accompanied them home for a visit.

Relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Critchlow and Miss Glenda Waters are receiving cards and letters of their wonderful trip and time they're having on their tour of the west. Last news received, they were enroute to Holyoke, Colo., to visit Mr. Critchlow's sister, Mrs. Roy Crosby.

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM CHARLESTON

Miss Goldie Edwards is visiting relatives in Cairo.

Mrs. R. C. Walton has returned from a visit in St. Louis.

Carl Trickey of St. Louis was a visitor in this city, Monday.

Miss Louise Guthrie and Ernest Brown spent Sunday in Memphis.

Mrs. A. E. O'Hara of Chicago is the guest of her mother, Mrs. G. Faust.

Mrs. Ella Deal and daughter, Mrs. Mary Barbee, spent Monday in Paducah, Ky.

Betty Lee McCutchen of Blytheville, Ark., and Ethel Dark of St. Louis are guests of Miss Jean Dark.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Burroughs, Mrs. Bess Mulkey and daughters have returned from a week-end visit in St. Louis.

Mrs. Garrett Elkins and sons left Tuesday for Carbondale, Ill., where they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cook.

Mrs. Harry Rice of Crutchfield, Kansas and Mrs. H. Walton of Sikeston were guests Monday at the home of Mrs. Ramsey Walton.

Miss Anna Mulford of East St. Louis, who is the guest of Mrs. Chas. Trickey, has returned from a week-end stay in Cape Girardeau.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Allen and little

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daughter, who have been guests of Mrs. G. W. Fowlkes, returned Monday to their home in St. Louis.

Miss Lillian Roberts of this city and Mrs. Moore Greer of Sikeston were guests Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Harry Collier, near Bertrand.

Mrs. C. C. Durkee and daughter, Miss Dorothy, of Augusta, Kan., were visitors in this city Saturday, enroute home from a motor trip thru the East.

Mesdames Jeff Lynn and Vera Day of St. Louis and Mrs. Eunice Baerman of Jackson, Tenn., were the week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roach Taylor.

The Royal Ambassadors of the Central Baptist church met Monday evening at the home of James Atterberry. The host served as leader of the program for the evening, the subject being "Khama Good Soldier of Christ". Those taking part were: Charles Edwards, Douglas Hequem-bourg, Jesse and Marshall Stone and

Jack Bastin. Light refreshments were served. The Counselor, Mrs. Minnie Edwards, was present with the members and visitors.

Sedalia—Cities Service Company awarded contract to Henry L. Lemon, Inc., to lay 12-inch gas line from Ottawa, Kansas to this place.

Airplanes are being called in to help farmers in North and South America to sow corn over large areas, scattering insecticides over orchards, drop smoke-clouds to protect crops from frost, and to bring herbs to commercial centers.

Brookfield—New soda fountain installed at Thompson Drug Co.

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